

## Miss Cashion Studies For FTA Leadership

Jerolyn Cashion of Tullahoma, president of the Future Teachers of America chapter at Middle Tennessee State College, attended the Institute of Leadership Organization conducted by the National Education Association in Washington, D. C. this summer.

Miss Cashion represented all of the Tennessee colleges at the Institute, which is a credit course being given by the American University at Washington from July 24, to August 24.

She studied planning, club procedure, group work and other work related to the efforts of FTA presidents in the development of the fall and winter objectives of the individual clubs. On her return she will meet with leaders of other Tennessee chapters to plan a co-ordinated program for Tennessee colleges in Future Teacher work.

## Physical Ed Club Plans Busy Year; Began Last Night

From the Get-Acquainted Party on September 19 to the club picnic on May 14, the Physical Education Club has planned for the students of MTSC a calendar of varied and interesting entertainment.

All Freshmen were invited to attend the Get-Acquainted party in the old gymnasium on Tuesday, September 19, at 7:30.

On September 20, there will be a party for everyone in the old gymnasium at 7:30. New records have been ordered and there will be social dancing as well as square dancing, refreshments and fun for all.

On October 18, the club will hold its annual Carnival. This promises to be the best in history with new features, the naming of the carnival queen and the famous variety show.

A Halloween party free to all students is scheduled for October 31.

As usual the club will have a big part in Homecoming festivities November 11.

A big square dance with string band, costumes, and all the trimmings is on the calendar for November 15.

The climax of Fall quarter activities is the annual Christmas party for club members on December 4.

During the winter quarter the club will sponsor a square dance, the big annual bingo party and an informal Valentine dance.

The spring quarter activities will include a big All Students Party, a square dance and the annual club picnic.

Throughout the year the club will conduct fun night for all students in the old gymnasium on the first, third and fifth Tuesday nights and second and fourth Saturday nights. These events are planned for your entertainment. Come and enjoy them.

Join the Physical Education Club and receive rich experience in recreation leadership plus an opportunity to have your expenses paid to the Southern District Physical Education Convention in Richmond, Virginia, or the National Convention in Detroit.

Regular meetings are held each first, third and fifth Monday nights in the old gym at 6 o'clock. The first meeting will be October 2. Come, join, and have fun while you learn.

**The Folk Dance Club**  
The Folk Dance Club will have its first meeting at 8 o'clock on Wednesday, September 27. Meetings will be at 8 on the second and fourth Wednesdays. All those who enjoy folk square dancing are invited to attend.

**Modern Dance Club**  
All students interested in joining the modern dance club meet in the old gym at 7 on Thursday night, September 28. Regular meetings will be scheduled to suit members of the group. If you cannot be present at this meeting send your name by someone who is coming.

## Tuesday Assembly Will be Optional For Two Classes

Juniors and seniors will not be required to attend assembly this year.

But the programs Lane Boutwell and his program committee have lined up seem to offer so much for these Tuesday (10 a.m.) meetings that upper-classmen may be competing for the few available seats left in the auditorium after the freshmen and sophomores are seated.

Dean Clayton James will assign seats for the first two classes this week. Attendance will be carefully checked.

When a "fifth Tuesday" occurs during the year it will be utilized for class meetings, first of which will be held Thursday afternoon for organization purposes.

## Extends Sympathy

The student body wishes to express sympathy for Mr. William B. Judd, college Registrar, in his recent bereavement. The death of a brother, Walter Judd, of Somerset, Kentucky.

## Dean Beasley Speaks

TO The Student Body  
Effective fall quarter, 1950, Assembly programs will continue to meet at 10 o'clock on Tuesday. Mr. Boutwell, Faculty Chairman of the Programs Committee, has arranged for some very attractive paid programs.

This year, attendance at Assembly programs will be optional for juniors and seniors. A junior is interpreted to be a person with at least ninety quarter hours and eighty quality credits.

The Director of Selective Service, Mr. Louis B. Hershey, has directed local boards to consider three items in the case of deferment of college students.

1. The registrant must have completed one academic year of full-time instruction.

2. The registrant's scholastic standing must place him in the upper half of his class.

3. The registrant must have made normal arrangements for entry prior to August 1, 1950. At the present time item No. 3 has no meaning for you because you are registered in college.

Information received some time ago indicated that persons not called in September would have an exemption. (Continued on Page Two)

## India Library President Visits MTSC Campus

"The Indian People are united. We are making progress in every field," declared Dr. S. R. Ranganathan, president of the Indian Library Association while visiting the Middle Tennessee State College regional library in late August.

Communism, Dr. Ranganathan said, is not popular in India since nationalism was achieved. This he attributes to two factors. "In the latter days of World War II the British released the Communists from prison and co-operated with them, thus antagonizing the anti-British element in England and stamped pro-Communists as pro-British. Secondly, since the liquidation of the great estates and the elimination of much of the inequality that breeds communism the average Indian sees no gain from communism."

He believes that much of the old British antagonism has died out in India. "I have noticed a great change in the attitude, both of my people and the British. Public sentiment and the press in England have been much more favorable to us than formerly. I have a very clear personal recollection of how differently I was treated in England on my last visit in 1948 as contrasted with my first visit in 1935," he said.

Dr. Ranganathan's visit to Murfreesboro was for the purpose of studying the regional library program, similar to the one which he is introducing in India. He was accompanied by Miss Martha Parks, regional library consultant and Miss Mary Bates, regional librarian at Middle Tennessee State College.

Others in the party included Dr. Dan Robison, University library staff and Mrs. Brainerd Chaney. Miss Catherine Clark explained the work of the MTSC library and Miss Bates the work of the regional library which operates from the college.

**Crisis Slashes Side-Lines Staff; Hits Athletics**

Last minute reorganization of the SIDE-LINES staff has been necessary as a result of the Korean war.

Floyd Dennis of Shelbyville, named as editor for the coming year joined the Air Force September 1.

Sgt. Paul Sullivan, assistant business manager of the Side-Lines was inducted when the National Guard unit of which he was a member in Nashville was Federalized.

Latest staff member to be effected is Jim Hale, makeup editor of Smyrna, who expects late September induction.

The football team lost Jack Sullivan, left-ace of the baseball and basketball teams, along with Jim Hagey. Sullivan entered the Navy; Hagey is in the Reserve.

Cpl. R. E. Duncan of the Air Force Reserves is at Sewart Air Base following his call since summer school closed.

Charles Shires, Freshman, is at the San Diego, California Naval Training Station, following enlistment.

Jaunita Wheeler of Chattanooga is editing this issue of the SIDE-LINES with Staten Eubanks as business manager. All students interested in journalism courses or working on the college publications are invited to come by the SIDE-LINES office in the basement of the Administration Building.

Last minute report is that Ernie Pellegrin, named as sports editor for this year, has joined the Air Force and has reported to Lakeland Air Base, in Texas.

Lt. James Ralph (political editor) has reported back to the Army and is now in school in Fort Knox, Ky.

## Frank Bass, MTSC Alumnus, Is TEA Leader

Frank E. Bass of Murfreesboro, who has been secretary and assistant secretary of the Tennessee Education Association since 1943, assumed the position of executive secretary of organization August 1.

Mr. Bass, a graduate of Middle Tennessee State College and of Peabody College, became a part of the T. E. A. staff in 1943, serving as executive secretary while A. D. Holt was on military leave. On Mr. Holt's return in 1945, Mr. Bass became assistant secretary and has continued in that capacity.

On assuming his new office, Mr. Bass said, "It shall be my purpose to live up in the high standards of professional leadership set by my predecessors in office, W. A. Bass and A. D. Holt. The entire teaching profession appreciates the great interest the citizens of Tennessee have shown in their schools during the past few years, an interest reflected in the enactment of legislation which has provided Tennessee with the best school system these states has ever had. I think I can speak for the teachers in saying that we appreciate the leadership which has made this legislation possible, and that we pledge our best efforts to give the taxpayers better teaching for their children in return for the greater amount of money they have given the schools."

The new secretary continued, "In assuring the position of executive secretary of this organization, I feel that it is my duty to point out to the people of Tennessee that our school problems are not all solved. If we are to maintain foundation (Continued on Page Four)

## Busiest Season Yet is Seen for TSC Airport

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## MTSC Band Invites Students To Join

Membership in the MTSC Band is open to all students, both old and new. There are openings now in almost every section of the band due to graduation and the calling of various people by the reserve.

It is urged that all people not in the band who play some instrument see Mr. Wright at the earliest moment.

All girls with majorette experience are included in this call.

## TEN NEW MASTERS JOIN MTSC FACULTY

A new quarter brings with it the announcement that ten persons have been added to the college faculty.

Dr. Robert E. Adkins of Sainsbury, Maryland has joined the Department of Education. Dr. Adkins received both A.B. and his M.A. degrees from Columbia University in New York and has completed course requirements for his Ph.D. there.

From '35 until '41 Dr. Adkins was assistant feature writer for the Washington Star and from '38 to '41 he worked as a radio continuity and as a script writer for the movies. In '41 he entered the Army Air Force as a private, later went to O.C.S. and was discharged a Lt. Colonel. His last assignment was Information Officer on General Spatz staff. Dr. Adkins is married and has two children.

Another addition to the Education Department is Dr. Ralph E. Dunham. Dr. Dunham attended Blue Mt. College and received his B. A. and M.A. degrees from Kansas State. He received his Ph.D. from the University of California. He entered the Army in '41 and was discharged in '46. Since '46 he has been teaching at Stephen Austin College, Nacogdoches, Texas. Dr. Dunham was married in England; he is a member of Kappa Mu Epsilon and is affiliated with the Baptist Church.

Dr. Charles F. Hull, new chemistry instructor, is a native of Kansas. He received his degrees from the University of Connecticut. He is a member of the American Chemical Society.

Phi Lambda Upsilon, Sigma Xi and the Presbyterian church. Dr. Hull is married and has two children.

Mr. Walter R. Herndon has been added to the faculty as instructor of biology. He was graduated from the University of Alabama with his B.S. and B.A. degrees and has worked two additional years at Vanderbilt University. Mr. Herndon is a veteran of World War II.

Another new member of the faculty is Dr. Charlotte Williams of Nashville who has been named an associate professor of social science here. Miss Williams received her A.B. and M.A. degrees at Vanderbilt University, took her second Master's from Columbia University in '41 and her Ph.D. degree from



H. Miller Lanier (second from left), head of the MTSC aviation department, explains to Jimmy Jackson, Edd Murray and Clifton Mantooth, the instrument panel on one of the small airplanes at the college airport. A busy summer season that saw more than 900 hours logged by students, may be eclipsed during the fall quarter.

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## Concert Series Is Announced

Dr. Joe F. Wilkes, president of the Murfreesboro Community Concert Association, announced yesterday that the 1950-51 concert series will include Donald Dame, November 13, the Columbia Concert Trio, January 25, and Meneham Pressler, April 19. Membership tickets will be mailed before the first concert, which will be held at the Middle Tennessee State College auditorium. No admissions will be sold at the door.

Dame, a young American lyric tenor, has sung many roles for the Metropolitan Opera Company, but is probably more widely known for his singing on the radio program, "American Album of Familiar Music."

The Columbia Concert Trio is composed of Richard Gregor, violinist, Ariana Brenn, pianist; and violinist, Ardyth Walker. The repertoire of the Trio, which is being re-

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## Boutwell's Article Reviews Colorful Tennessee Era

To the older generation, remembering the colorful careers of Alfred and Robert Taylor, an article in the March 1950 Tennessee Historical Quarterly by Lane L. Boutwell, associate professor of speech at Middle Tennessee State College has a significant appeal.

Equally interesting to the young people of today Mr. Boutwell has presented "The Oratory of Robert Love Taylor" in a scholarly and at the same time fascinating manner.

Mr. Boutwell uses 39 original sources as the basis for the paper which occupies 35 pages in the magazine. Seeking to find the thing that made the orator from Happy Valley such a potent figure in the American political arena for nearly half century Mr. Boutwell concludes that the "times, the audiences and the main current of thought in the minds of Tennesseans to which Mr. Taylor united his party (the Democratic) and peacefully bridged the gap between agrarianism and industrialism. The people of Tennessee listened, responded, and elevated their "Bob" to a position of leadership which was unchallengeable until the turn of the century."

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## Forty-first Year Opened With Excellent Freshmen Class; Frosh Orientation Program Concludes With Reception Friday Night

### Hunting "Crip" Courses?—Not Many at MTSC

Statistics can be made to read almost anyway a propagandist desires—or so they say in Social Science 205. Statistically, or otherwise, there just "ain't no such animal" as a crip course at MTSC.

Figures released by Registrar W. B. Judd for last year show that 834 failures, 294 incompletes and 1821 "D" grades, which carry no quality points were handed out by State faculty members.

Of the 18,711 grades passed out 13.2 per cent were A; 32 per cent were B and 38.9 per cent were C.

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### To The Class Of 1954

I join the crowds of interested witnesses who historically and currently urge you to be diligent in the pursuit of the college career which you begin today as the Class of 1954.

Social and personal competency, vocational efficiency and general culture are available here to aid you in meeting the issues of life.

Your country needs the loyal and patriotic service which can be given by you if you possess the qualities of citizenship which can be acquired only by education and training.

Your fellow man needs the high order of service which can be rendered by those who acquire the maturity of mind and the enrichment of spirit attained through systematic study and guided experience.

Your success in achieving these ends will depend on the choices of associates made, the activities in which you engage, the subjects studied and the time and effort schedule which you set up in the beginning and pursue to completion.

A few suggestions are made for your guidance.

1. Aim for a good general education strong in English, mathematics and sciences, physical and social.

2. Elect physical and military training for health and physical grace and efficiency.

3. Elect vocational subjects for self sufficiency in economic areas.

4. Elect special subjects for appreciation and for the development of your special talents.

5. Engage in a limited number of student activities according to your interest and talents.

6. Make a daily study and work schedule and stick to it.

7. Participate regularly in some church activity.

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#### Welcome to M.T.S.C.

I extend to the new students of Middle Tennessee State College a most cordial welcome and to my returning fellow students a most hearty hello.

You students who have selected MTSC as your college have selected a college that is recognized for its spirit of thoughtness, friendliness, and cooperation. It is your responsibility to maintain and raise these standards of your college.

This institution believes in education for all that we may attain the ideals of democracy and preserve its basic premises so that we and our children may enjoy its advantages and be able to fulfill its responsibilities. In order to attain these objectives our student government is set up as a replica of our fed-



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eral government and affords each member of the Associated Student Body an opportunity to participate and become better acquainted with our American way of life.

Through the three distinct divisions of our student government; namely, executive, legislative and judicial departments, we are able to unify all students and organizations under one general control.

Of course we are faced with compartmentalization. This is a natural development since we associate more with the school mates with whom we come in contact with more often and with whom we have more interests in common. But this compartmentalization should not exist in our associated student body as our strength lies in our oneness. As a checkmate against compartmentalization of our ASB, we must all have a unified purpose and idea.

In order to carry out our purpose and ideas along with those of the administration we have communication between the two groups by use of the legislative department made up of a bicameral congress.

To aid in the social and extra-curriculum realms, the ASB has the executive department consisting of a president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer and attorney general.

The judicial department of the ASB is organized to provide measures of discipline for the student body. It consists of a supreme court, a dormitory council for women and a dormitory council for men.

May I urge you to become more acquainted with hte purpose and operating of your student government by securing and studing a copy of "The Blue and White Book".

Again I welcome all students and hope that this will be one of your happiest and most profitable years of school.

Sincerely,  
Ross Rives, president, ASB

#### Welcome from ASB Vice-President

I wish to take this opportunity to welcome all students, both old and new, to the campus of MTSC. The returning students have already grown to love the school; we are all proud of our school and of the things it stands for, and I hope that all of you who are



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entering for the first time will soon feel this way.

It is important for you to participate in school activities. There are religious organizations on the campus and the church of your choice invites you to attend their weekly meetings. Various clubs with social and educational aspects, are to be found on the campus and they invite your membership. Find the clubs which best express your interests and become an active member. Extra-curricular activities

play an important part in a well rounded College life.

The spirit of support for one other is what we strive for on our campus. Back your football team, be loyal to your friends, be a part of your ASB, then you can be proud of yourself because you will have made a contribution to your school.

Again I welcome you; may this be a great year in your life.

Sincerely,  
Alberta Pennington, Vice-pres. ASB

#### Cheaper by The Dozen

(At Trailer Town, That is)

Things are never dull in Trailer Town, not even when classes are out in the summer time. This past summer the occupants kept themselves busy rolling out the welcome mat to new additions. In the "little China" of Murfreesboro we have had twelve babies born to veterans and their wives during the past five months. They are

A son, Marvin Gary, born to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Garrett.

A son, John Daniel Barber Jr., born to Mr. and Mrs. John Barber.

Twin boys, Donny and Danny, were born to Mr. and Mrs. William Fitch.

A daughter, Deborah Jarrell, was born July 27, to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Aaron.

A daughter, Pamela, was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Sisson.

A son, Stephen Boyd, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kelly.

Mayor and Mrs. Bruce Hampton announce the birth of their fifth child, a son, Bert Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Raulston were blessed with a daughter, Rose Mary.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gaither have a new daughter, Jerald Maxine. We are a little late in announcing this but she still is young enough to be considered a new addition.

Cathy Jane Patten, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Patten, is another addition we are late in announcing. Cathy's was a very unusual birth; she was born enroute to the hospital and Mr. Patten delivered the baby.

Last but not least is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Reed, Terry Lynn.

If your baby was left out of this article come by the office and give us the name. To you proud parents—Congratulations!

#### FOR WHOM THE BELLS TOLL

Yvonne McFolin

The love bug sure did bite MTSC teachers, students and alumni this summer. And going one step farther started wedding bells ringing for seventeen of them. Heading this list is announcement of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. John Q. Wade. Mrs. Wade is the former Miss Henrietta Myers who has been a member of the MTSC faculty for the past five years. Mrs. Wade was married August 20, in a semiformal wedding at her home.

Betty Neece from Old Hickory and Pushier Howell from Columbia took the final step early this summer and are now Mr. and Mrs. Howell.

That steady twosome of Robbie Gregory and Bob Badger said their vows shortly after school was out. Robbie, most popular girl, hails from Clarksville and Bob from Murfreesboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bean are now residing in Trailer Town. Mrs. Bean is the former Clara Jones from Columbia. Charles is from Daisy, Tenn.

That all time cheerleader Lavada Waters of Nashville and Murray Parker of Lafayette were married recently.

Ilene Allison is married to Wade Murray of Bridgeport, Ala. Bo has been called back into the Navy.

From Woodbury comes the word that Ruth Conley and Frank Curlee were married this summer.

Frank Atchley of Nashville, Bachelor of Ugliness, and Margaret Scott of Old Hickory said their "I Dos" in July.

Shirley Heist and Jo Morgan are Mr. and Mrs. now. Both are from Nashville.

The marriage of Miss Bobbye Doris Bell of Watertown and Barry Spears of Lebanon was solemnized in a lawn ceremony recently.

Romona York is now Mrs. Leon Aluffer. The couple is now residing in Louisville, Ky.

That popular freshman Margie Pickle of Kingston and Frank Winstead, Jr. of Oak Ridge were married in August. They are now living in Kingston.

Mrs. Gowan Mitchell is the former Miss Sara Rogers of Fayetteville. Mr. Mitchell is from Huntsville, Ala.

The Ruth Ann White-Pete McDow rites were solemnized early in August. The wedding took place here in Murfreesboro. Pete is from Covington, Tenn.

Carl Ferrell and Sue Stubblefield were pronounced Mr. and Mrs. the 15th of September. Mrs. Ferrell is from Hartsville. Mr. Ferrell is from Murfreesboro.

Our roving reporter also finds the names of these two girls who have gotten married since the spring quarter, but we were unable to find the lucky guys names in time for publication. They are Kathryn Schubert and Taffy Blakemore. Congratulations to them anyway!

Last but not least we want to mention our Alumni of MTSC. Norma Jean Huffman of Murfreesboro and David Eugene Shepherd of Marshalltown, Iowa were married recently in rites taking place in Murfreesboro.

Miss Rose Marie Hoover of Nashville and T/Sgt. John J. Healey of Wilkes Barre, Pa., were married July 18.

Miss Sara Helen Johns became the bride of Frank Hall on August 5. They are now residing in Murfreesboro.

Miss Lura Elizabeth Burris and Mr. Ernest C. Thompson were married during the summer months.

Mrs. Addie Ruth Mayo and William Victor Money were married in rites taking place this summer. Both attended MTSC.

We proudly extend congratulations and best wishes to all of these,

### MTSC Honored In Saturday Evening Post

Fred Russell, veteran Nashville sports editor, put the raiders on the spot in his "Pigskin Preview," in the September 9, issue of the Saturday Evening Post.

Russell picks MTSC among his "best of the rest" teams in the South after rating the Southern and Southeastern conference. Only foe of the Raiders picked by Russell in the "best" category is the Eastern Kentucky State team. Chattanooga is the only other Tennessee team picked in the upper bracket. Others listed include V.M.I., Washington and Lee, Wofford, Furman, Davidson, Virginia Tech. Presbyterian, Richmond, The Citadel, Emory and Henry (which played in the Tangerine Bowl last year), the University of Louisville, University of Chattanooga, and Hampden-Sydney.

Russell also picks Maxie Runion as one of the outstanding Southern and Southeastern backs.

This selection is certain to put Runion in the national spotlight for "little All-American" honors while Charlie Lyons, only MTSC linesman who will likely work offense and defense consistently is being given recognition as a possible lineman rating national attention.

A good game against Vanderbilt; a victory over East Kentucky State and sizeable majorities over other Raider foes would almost insure a "bowl" bid for this season.

#### FRESHMAN INITIATION ANNOUNCED

Freshmen initiation has become a traditional rite at MTSC over a period of years and this year will be no exception except that for the first time in years freshmen are to hold the status of fellow-classmates instead of that of slaves to upper-classmen.

There is to be no physical violence whatsoever; this includes hair cutting, beating, ducking in water and such. Initiation begins this week and upper-classmen can make a freshman do any personal service they desire so long as it does not last more than five minutes. This part of initiation will end at the end of this week.

On the day of our first home football game all freshmen will wear the type of clothing designated by the Initiation Committee, which is to be announced, on that day only. Freshman initiation will end after half time of the football game at which time the traditional rat-race will take place. All freshmen are to wear their fresh caps until after the Homecoming game.

These rules are under enforcement of the ASB and must be abided by.

#### Fourty-first

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welcome the Freshman and Dean Clayton James will explain the college student activity opportunities.

The first general assembly will be held Thursday morning, at which time ministers, representing all the faiths in Murfreesboro, will be introduced to the student body.

Class meetings are scheduled for Thursday afternoon.

Social meetings and recreation are planned for each evening. The climax will be the annual reception at the home of President and Mrs. Q. M. Smith Friday evening at eight o'clock.

#### Dean Beasley

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cellent opportunity of at least completing one quarter or a full year. There is no clear-cut directive on this, as far as I know. A careful study has been made of our grading system. The information we have, at the present, indicates that the mid-point would come between 1.2 and 1.3. You see, therefore, that for a statement to be made that a person ranks in the upper half of his class he must have better than a C average.

Fortunately, this year we have a R.O.T.C. Unit. If one of my boys were entering college, at this time, I would insist that he take R.O.T.C.

In conclusion, let me say that it is my opinion that never in the history of the college have we been in better shape as far as physical equipment, staff, and quality of student body is concerned, than we have this fall. I want to urge that each and everyone of us be an intelligent, accountable, and participating citizen on and off the campus.—N. C. Beasley, Dean.

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Tuesday,	19	Assembly 9:00 a.m.
		Guidance and Registration for Freshmen 10:00 a.m.
Wednesday,	20	Registration for Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors 7:30 p.m.
		All Students Party, Old Gymnasium 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday,	26	Assembly 7:30 p.m.
Friday,	29	Faculty Reception in New Gymnasium 10:00 a.m.
		Reception followed by Dance, Music by Owen Bradley Orch. 8:00 p.m.
Saturday,	30	Football Game, Milligan College 8:00 p.m.
OCTOBER		
Tuesday,	3	Assembly 10:00 a.m.
		Fun Night, Old Gymnasium 7:30 p.m.
Friday,	6	Reading Conference 9:00 a.m.
Saturday,	7	Reading Conference 9:00 a.m.
Tuesday,	10	Assembly 10:00 a.m.
Friday,	13	Football Game, Austin Peay 8:00 p.m.

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### Raiders Sink Memphis Hellcats 33-0 Following Three Goal Line Stands

Arnold, McCoy, Rather, Canada, Fandrich Score in Demonstrating Varied Offensive Power

MTSC ran its victory string to 11 games (with a Murray State tie intervening) by defeating the Millington Naval Station team 33-0 in Memphis last Saturday night.

Middle Tennessee staved off three scoring threats by the Hellcats of Millington in the first quarter and then roared back in the last three quarters for a total gain of 193 yards on the ground and 123 more via the air. The Raiders completed 10 out of 13 passing attempts in the last half.

Head Coach Charles Murphy used ten ball-carrying backs to amass the Raiders huge yardage, the majority of which came in the second and third periods. Garnette Rather, freshman from East High, gained the most individual yardage for the Raiders—69, but it was Jim McCoy, John Raymond Smith, and Max Arnold who blasted out the most consistent gains.

The Hellcats had kept the Raiders deep in their own territory in the first quarter, rolling for seven first downs and three times being stopped inside the Raider ten-yard line-up by a punt return by Searcy. Don

Rather broke loose with a 38-yard run that gave the Raiders their first offensive break. After that it was Katie-bar-the-door as McCoy, Smith and Arnold alternated in smashing through the line.

McCoy and Arnold each contributed a touchdown in the second quarter while Bill Fandrich boot-ed the extra points.

Middle Tennessee's quarterbacks tried only one pass in the first half. In the second Jim Babb went in to direct the Raider attack and completed four of six attempts, the last hitting Rather for 23 yards and a TD. Fandrich missed the conversion.

Don Stotser entered the game at quarterback for the Raiders later in this period and passed 22 yards to Halfback Hubert McCullough, enabling Fullback Arnold to shake loose for another score.

Tackle Frank Ford was the key man on two of the Raider goal line stands. Guards Charlie Lyons and David Burnette, along with Tackle Howard Alsop also played outstanding defensive ball.

The final Raider counter was set up by a punt return by Searcy. Don



Here is the Middle Tennessee State College football squad for 1950, rated as one of the nations finest small-college eleven. Left to right: James Babb, Lebanon; qb; Bobby Hardison, Lewisburg, hb; Don Stotser, Lawrenceburg, qb; Hubert McCullough, Murfreesboro, hb; Jimmy Hite, Nashville, c; Maxie Runion, Nashville, hb; Dick Beck, Nashville, fb; Jimmy Hite, Nashville, c; Maxie Runion, Nashville, hb; Second Row: left to right—Bill Smith, Cowan, mgr; Gerald Johnson, Franklin, e; Monte Kennedy, Fayetteville, c; John Miles, Gallatin, g; Joe Morgan, Nashville, g; Jim McCoy, Cleveland, hb; James Harrison, Old Hickory, t; Max Arnold, Tullahoma, hb; Jim Kennedy, Plmouth, O, c; David Burnette, Gallatin, g; Billy Williams, Chattanooga, end; Ernest Adams, Murfreesboro, fb; Wade Murray, Bridgeport, Ala., t; Jim Loftin, Franklin, g; Howard Alsop, Murfreesboro, t; Carl Wells, Bridgeport, Ala., mgr. Third row, left to right: Coach Joe Little (centers); Coach Joe Black Hayes, (guards and tackles); Coach Charles Murphy (athletic director) Bill Hendsley, Columbia, c; Ben Canada, Montgomery, Ala., e; James Andrews, Lebanon, Frank Atchley, Nashville, (al-capt.) e; Guy Buchanan, Fayetteville, g; Frank Ford, Huntsville, Ala., t; John Raymond Smith, Old Hickory, qb; Charlie Lyons, Nashville, g; Frank Tice, Nashville, t; Jim Ballard, Culman, Ala., e; Jim Burcham, Columbia, e; Coach Charles Greer (ends); Coach Frances Riel, (backfield), Lew Aaron, Nashville, trainer. Fourth Row, left to right, George Fraley, Winchester, g; George Smotherman, Tullahoma, g; Harold Hitt, Nashville, t; Emory Cox, Chattanooga, t; Tom Crosslin, Sparta, hb; Bobby Pittard, Murfreesboro, hb; Bob Brown, Winchester, e; Hensley Etter, Old Hickory, t; John Swafford, Cleveland, g; Andrew Hardaway, Murfreesboro, g.

### THESE 1913 RAIDERS TIED VANDERBILT



First row, left to right—Ennis Harris, Jack Burton, Bob Downing, James (Goat) Ridley, Putty Overall, Claude Covington, Cas Miles, Granville Larry Nelson, Hubert, Tom Ridley. Second row—Carter Bell White, Sam Huddleston, Mr. Mayo, Halbert Harvill, Baird McKnight, Unidentified, Neal Bass, Unidentified, Hubert Burton, Chip Smith, Mutt Webber. Third row, standing—Mr. McConnell, Mgr., Alf Miles, Coach, Will Ragland, Jesse Huggins, Rubert Smith, Bill Moffett, Pete Nelson, Henry Ewing Jordan, Rice Woodfin, Jack Fox, Oscar Baskins, Roy Ott, Sister Williams, Thurman McMahon, Wallace Gannaway.

Stotser passed twice to Ben Canada, for 10 yards, then a 23 yard touchdown heave.

The pass defense of the Raiders looked woefully weak in the first half. The Hellcats completed eight of twelve passes attempted in the first half.

The Raider coaches used 39 players, only Beck, Adams and Runion failing to get in the game.

Middle Tennessee had the edge in first downs, 13 to 11, but lost the ball on two fumbles.

Andrew Hardaway, whose leg was hurt on the first play of the game, was able to return to action in the fourth quarter. He was the only Raider who left the game because of injuries.

### Experts Believe Raiders, Vandy Will Both Score in Saturday Tilt

Middle Tennessee State College football steps into the national spotlight Saturday afternoon when the RAIDERS meet the Vanderbilt University Commodores in Nashville. No Blue and White team has ever scored off against Vandy in the six times the teams have met. Coach Murphy's boys are determined to end that drought on Dudley Field this week.

That Vandy does not understate the RAIDERS was evidenced by a statement attributed to Bill Edwards in the Monday Nashville Banner when the Vandy coach, who scouted the MTSC-Millington game, said:

"Middle Tennessee has a good football team. It is a much bigger team than I had thought."

"They were able to operate defensive and offensive units. Two boys who were with us in the past, Gerald Johnson and Jim Loftin, played on the defensive unit. The speed of the backs was very impressive. I thought Jim Babb did a good job of T-quarterbacking."

"We'll have our hands full in Saturday's opener. Middle Tennessee is further along than we are."

On the other hand the most opti-

mistic RAIDER fan cannot be a realist and expect an MTSC victory. Any Southeastern conference college is just too deep in talent and reserves for a medium sized college to beat. Rumor has it that the "smart" bookies are giving the RAIDERS a good chance to score, perhaps twice, and expect the Vanderbilt team to win by 14 to 20 points.

Neil Wright will take the MTSC band down to Dudley Stadium and from 8,000 to 10,000 fans are expected to see a good musical show and a fine football game.

Game time is at two o'clock. Tickets (a buck each) may be obtained at the Vanderbilt athletic of-

face this week or at the gates for sections A, B and C before game time.

There is hope that Maxie Runion, who injured his shoulder is a scrimmage with Sewanee last week, will be able to play a part of the game. Babb, McCoy and Arnold will likely complete the starting offensive backfield.

The Nashville TENNESSEAN will carry color pictures of the RAIDERS in the Saturday morning edition. WSM will broadcast the game.

### 275 FHA Members Attended MTSC 3-Day Work Shop

Two hundred and seventy-five Future Homemakers of America met at MTSC this summer for a three day work shop.

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**Frank Bass,**  
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school program and make any advances, it is imperative that the legislative program proposed for the 1951 Legislature be enacted.

The T. E. A. legislative program includes these points: 1. Sufficient state appropriations to maintain the present foundation school program, including funds for capital outlay, during the coming biennium, in the face of increased costs due to

increased enrollment, improved training of teachers and accumulated needs of the state teacher's retirement system.

2. A revision of the state salary schedule which will provide a teacher with a bachelor's degree a beginning salary of \$2,000 and will advance over a period of fifteen years to \$2,500 with similar increases in the state salary schedule for certified teachers of other levels of training and corresponding increases for teachers in non-equalizing counties

and cities.

3. Improvement of certification standards as rapidly as the supply of trained teachers will permit.

4. Teachers tenure legislation which will provide for: (a) tenure protection to all certified teachers who have served a probationary period sufficiently long to determine their qualifications to continue in service; (b) provision for dismissal of teachers for incompetence, inefficiency, neglect of duty, unprofessional conduct, insubordination or abolition of position; (c) fair trial for teachers who have been dismissed; and (d) protection of local tenure laws.

5. Adequate state support for higher education.

Mr. Bass has worked with the schools of Marshall and Rutherford Counties, Hickman County High School, and Mt. Pleasant schools. He was at one time High School Visitor for Middle Tennessee and subsequently Curriculum Director in the State Department of Education, in which capacity he directed publication of numerous documents including "Looking Ahead With Tennessee's Schools." Immediately before coming to the T. E. A. he was Director of Teacher Training at Middle Tennessee State College.

Mr. Bass is chairman of the Education Committee of the Mid-century White House Conference on Children and Youth, member of the Legislative Commission of the National Education Association, and a member of the American Association of School Administrators. He is a member of the Baptist Church, is a Scottish Rite Mason and a Rotarian, and holds membership in Phi Sigma and Phi Delta Kappa, honorary educational fraternities.

John E. Sims, advisor in Aviation Education for the C.A.A. in Atlanta, has frequently cited the MTSC aviation program as among the country's best in the teaching of aviation.

The college aviation department has recently been visited by personnel for other colleges who contemplate introducing aviation into the curriculum. Among these visitors was Gilbert L. Gifford, assistant professor of transportation, University of

**Tom T. Tucker Wins Doctorate at U. O.**

Thomas T. Tucker, Jr., of Lafayette, has recently been awarded his doctor of education degree by the University of Oklahoma. This was conferred on August 7, 1950. He was one among a class of 726 including nine doctor's degrees.

While a student on the campus he was known as Tommy Tucker and was very active in student life and took a great interest in athletics. He later coached in his home town of Lafayette and produced some good to outstanding ball teams.

**Concert Series**  
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turned here by popular request, includes music by Beethoven, Mendelssohn, Brahms, Schubert, Dvorak, Mozart, and Haydn, in addition to individual instrumental solos.

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with the outstanding American symphony orchestras.

Adult memberships for the entire series are \$6.00, including tax, and student memberships are \$3.00. Persons who were out of town at the time of the spring membership drive, May 14-20, and persons who have moved to Murfreesboro since that date, may secure membership next week, September 25-30, by calling

chairman, or Joe F. Wilkes, president. There will be no solicitation of members.

Billie Williams Jr., graduate of Pulaski

here by popular request, includes MTSC, has resumed his duties as mathematics instructor and coach at Campbellsville High School near Pulaski.

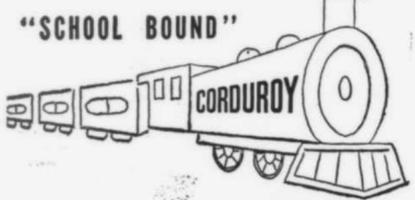
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**Busiest Season**  
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was revived and though no scholarship aid, either veteran or Tennessee Bureau of Aeronautics was available, 145 students took aviation in 1948-49 and 158 have had the courses this year.

The Middle Tennessee State College aviation department has earned a high reputation in aviation circles, and the airport and its facilities was one of five in Tennessee to win the Aircraft Owners and Pilot's Association certificate for "above average accommodation and services" for visiting pilots last year.

The Wing Staff of the Tennessee Civil Air Patrol has highly commended the airport and the Murfreesboro squadron of the GAF, made up largely of college students.

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