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THE LEADER.

The Immigrant and the War

PRESIDENT LEWIS TALKS TO STUDENT BODY ON PRESIDENT DAY CONDITIONS

Uses a Family as an Illustration

Presenting the Jones family and their guest as an illustration of America and the immigrant, President Lewis gave a talk in assembly Monday morning, October 15th, showing the present world war conditions.

The Jones family had in its home a stranger who was granted all the right and privileges of that home. One day, two men were fighting in the street in front of the Jones' home. They were so careless that some of the missiles they were throwing damaged the Jones home, Mr. Jones saw that for the protection of his family something had to be done and argued with them but to no avail. He found it necessary to get into the fight himself and asked the stranger for help, he refused because he recognized the offender as a distant relative, instead of helping Mr. Jones he did all in his power to assist the enemy.

President Lewis said: "Mr. Jones represents America; the Jones family the people of America, the stranger is the immigrant who has come to America to make his home and doesn't want to fight on account of blood relationships, and the men in the street represent the Allies and Germany." He further stated, "If anyone of you excuse the action of the stranger in the Jones' home you are excusing any immigrant who for blood relationships is not loyal to America."

Speaking of the people of America as a whole, President Lewis grouped them into three classes, first, those who are so energetic and full of life that they want to charge right into the thick of the fight; second, those who destroy the efficiency of America by their false notions, ideas and Academic beliefs; third, those who know that the great movements of civilization are slow and want to quiet things by careful council and conservation. In this last class live and work about eighty per cent of the American people.

America in time of peace accepted Ambassadors from Germany as straightforward men only to find out later they were working against the government but America has determined on one thing, no matter what the cost, no matter what the price and never again will the conditions and opportunities arise which will give any nation the power to undermine our government for President Wilson representing the beliefs of eighty per cent of the people of the Republic and rated the world over as the greatest scholar of humanity, will say when this great war will end.

GIRLS DEMAND NEW REST ROOM

Larger Enrollment of Girls Brings a Call for Better Equipped Room

Since Sheridan Coliseum is being used this fall for class rooms and studies and the different departments in the Main building have been enlarged to meet the needs of the students and faculty, some room should be fitted up into a new rest room for the girls of the Normal.

For several years the small room on the lower floor of the Main building was used for that purpose but during the past year only slight attention has been given it and things have not been kept up in good condition. The room is smadd, poorly ventilated and not adequately furnished and the girls of the Normal would certainly appreciate a larger room.

It is hoped that in the future a suit-

able room will be provided and perhaps working in the co-operation with the Y. W. C. A., the girls of the school could help furnish the room. THE LEADER stands back of the girls in their effort to secure a larger room.

LEADS KANSAS CONFERENCE

Fort Hays Tigers Went out in Front of the Other Schools of the State

The standing of the Kansas Intercollegiate football conference on Thursday morning, October 25th, was as follows:

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Hays Normal	2	0	1,000
Emporia Normal	1	0	1,000
St. Mary's	2	0	1,000
Southwestern	3	1	.750
Washburn	2	1	.666
Fairmount	2	1	.666
Cooper	2	2	.500
Pittsburg Normal	1	1	.500
College of Emporia	1	1	.500
Ottawa	1	2	.333
Friends	1	2	.333
Baker	1	2	.333
Bethany	1	3	.250
Kansas Wesleyan	0	3	.000
Midland	0	1	.000

The Tigers defeated Southwestern 23 to 20 and Southwestern has won three games, defeating the College of Emporia 16 to 14, Cooper 38 to 7, and Fairmount 7 to 0. The Tigers defeated Baker and this last week Baker humbled Friends 7 to 0.

The football dope concerning the Tigers in the press has been very rosy with predictions and comments.

The game here Friday and its victory over Baker University, which has been all over the country. Even the Chicago Tribune carried the score on Saturday morning.

On Friday, October 19th The Star said:

The Hays Normal team has defeated Southwestern and Baker. These are the strongest Kansas conference teams which Hays meets. Unless there is a big reversal in some of the other teams which they are slated to meet, Hays should go through the season undefeated. As they do not play the Kansas Normal it looks like it will require a post-season game to settle the championship unless Baker, repeating last year's performance, disposes of Bill Hargiss's proteges.

On Monday, October 22nd, The Capital said:

The most important game in the conference this week will be the Hays Normal-St. Marys contest at St. Marys Thursday. Neither team has lost a conference game this season and Thursday will be "show-down" time. One of the schools will suffer defeat in this game, with the exception of a tie, and the winner will, in all probability, fight out the conference championship with Emporia Normal at the close of the season. The Teachers are doped to win their remaining games and finish with an all-victorious record. Neither St. Marys nor Hays play Emporia and with both of these schools predicted to win the remainder of their scheduled games the final standing will be in amuddle.

On Monday, October 15th, The Capital also said:

"In Rex Welty, Coach Speer, of Hays, has one of the flashiest half-backs in Kansas conference. Welty is a great open-field runner and has made more spectacular long runs this season than any Kansas gridiron star. His 65-yard run in the last quarter of the Southwestern-Hays game won the contest and the following week he duplicated this feat against Baker and defeated the Baldwin eleven 6 to 0."

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NORMAL BOY WITH COLORS

Names and Addresses of the Former Students of the School Here Who are in the Service of Uncle Sam.

Although the list given below is not a complete one and every effort has been made to make it full and accurate many names, addresses or both are not correct. Aid is asked not only in making it complete but in keeping it up-to-date. The location of a soldier or a sailor changes so frequently that only his close friends learn of his moves. The Normal school requests these friends to keep it informed of all changes of address. This under the direction of the class in journalism and its instructor, Mr. Harvey, will see to it that proper record is kept. (Phone 216.)

To date the revised list is as follows:

- Dolf Hawkins, 14th Co., Fort Logan Colo.
- Mont Wheeler, care Y. M. C. A., Fort Logan, Colo.
- Chas. H. Granger, Co. B, 5th Fld. En., Signal Corps, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.
- Henry F. Hermon, 47th Co., 164th Depot Brigade, Camp Funston, Kans.
- Elmer Dougherty, 19th Aero Squadron, Dayton, Ohio.
- Louis E. McFarland, Co. 35 B., U. S. Marines, Paris Island, Port Royal, South Carolina.
- Ralph V. Burns 16th Inf., Co. I, American Ex. Force, France.
- Wm. P. Kofel, 2d U. S. Aero Squadron, North Toronto, Ont., Canada. U. S. No. 734
- Earl E. Stock, Co. B. (Wire) 8th Fld. Bn., Signal Corps, Presidio of Monterey, Calif.
- John W. Seuser, 342 Fld. Art. Headquarters Co., Camp Funston.
- Clinton H. Morgan, 3rd Battery, 2 P. T. R., Fort Sheridan, Ill.
- H. A. Ic., Emeritor H. Felts, U. S. York.
- Millard Crane, Lieut., Q. M. C. N. A., Camp Funston, Kansas.
- Hugo Kohl, 31. Sanitary Train, 353 Co., Unit 2, Field Hospital, 89th Division, Camp Funston, Kansas.
- Pvt. A. F. Bieker, Q. M. C., Detachment, Camp Funston, Kansas.
- John McKnight, 342 Fld. Art. Headquarters Co., Camp Funston, Kansas.
- Carroll Whisnant, 42nd Co., 164 Depot Brigade, Camp Funston.
- Tom Mock, 342 Fld. Art., Headquarters Co., Camp Funston.
- Ralph Reed, 42nd Co., 164 Depot Brigade, Camp Funston, Kansas.
- Asa A. King, 342 Fld. Art., Headquarters Co., Camp Funston, Ks.
- Merle Crissman, 42nd Co., 164 Depot Brigade, Camp Funston, Ks.
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- Serg. James J. Callahan 23rd, Inf. Co. K., Am. Ex. Force, France.
- Raymond Cnuster, 1st Battery 1st P. L. R., Fort Sheridan, Ill.
- Lieut. William Bolt, Fort Sheridan, Ill.
- James Shutts, U. S. S., Minnesota, care of P. M., N. Y. C.
- Corp John E. Mock, 23rd, Inf., Co. D., Am. Ex. Force, France.
- Ben Williams, Elec., U. S. S., Arkansas, care of P. M., N. Y. C.
- Musician Julius Johnson, 23rd Inf, Am. Ex. Force, France.
- Cash McNay, Fort Sill, care of Y. M. C. A.
- Jesse Ewing, Co., C., Camp Doniphan, Fort Sill, Okla.
- Leveret Johnson, U. S. S., Prometheus, care of P. M., N. Y. C.
- Benj. McCarroll; M G. Co., Camp Walter R. Taloaferro, San Diego, Calif.
- Walter B. Smith, 7th, C. C. A. C., Fort Mills, Corregidor, Philippine Islands.
- Charles Harvey, Co. M., 353 Inf., Camp Funston, Kansas.
- Corp. E. H. Cummings, 23rd, Inf., Co. D., Am. Ex. Force, France.
- V M Greer, Menlo Park, 4th, C. A. C., Camp Fremont, Calif.
- John Dewees, Co. C., 50th Inf. Syracuse, N. Y.
- Corp. John Gross, Battery, E., 18th F. A., Fort Bliss, El Paso, Texas.
- Earl Pratt, Co. 2, Fort Baker, Calif.
- Cleve Gardels, 353rd, Inf., Co. L., Camp Funston, Kansas.
- Jesse Humphries, 353 Inf., Co. L., Camp Funston, Kansas.
- Henry H. Sandy, Depot Co., K., Signal Corps, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

Albert T. Krhut, Coast Artillery, Co. 1, Fort Miley, Calif.

A. C. J. Jacobs, X U. S. S., Vestal, care of P. M., N. Y. C

George W McVey, Co. F., 2nd Reg. U. S. Engineers, Am. Ex. Force, France.

Lester A. Wilson, Record Office, Fort Logan, Colo.

Guy O. Ordway, Co. M 2nd, 1st Fort Sill, Okla.

Roy E. Dazoy, Battery B. 541, F. A., Camp Funston.

The next list contains only the names and no addresses. If anyone knows the correct address or of someone who does, that person is requested to supply Mr. Harvey with that information. If any of the above locations, are incorrect and some are of course, also supply with the correct ones. If any of the former Normal students now with the colors are not listed at all, please see that their names may also be included.

List of those whose location is unknown at time of this publication:

- Don Frankenberger,
- Herman L. Hicks,
- William C. Humphery,
- Eugene Ball,
- Sam Gisick,
- John Riehmier,
- Walter L. Huck,
- Fred Blau,
- August Blau,
- Hugo McCarroll,
- Oreon Morehead,
- Ben Summers,
- Charley Johnson,
- Tom Baxter,
- Fred E. Ross,
- Alfred Richmond,

BATS IN SOMEONE'S BELFRY

Coach Speer Hands the Grapev Route a Few Hot Shots.

The Capital last week carried a story:

Lawrence, Oct. 18.—(Special) won from Baker three weeks ago will be forfeited to Baker, according to the rules of the Kansas conference, on account of the ineligibility of Welty, one of the Hays athletes. He has played four years of college football previous to this year, which is the limit set by the conference. This is the interpretation Baker gives the game, but no protest was made before the game, as far as can be learned.

Note the "Lawrence" dateline.

Rex Welty barely past his twenty-first birthday and having had one year of high school ball, and only one year here, is the basis of the absurd story.

Some "young upstart" sport writer is possibly guilty. Rex is only a Sophomore too. Coach Speer remarked when he saw the story "someone's got bats in his belfry" and passed it off as a huge joke.

No one of the entire Tiger squad is questioned as to his recognized standing and eligibility.

ARE TEN PER CENT. WILLFUL?

President Lewis Also Says That Thirty Per cent. of Kansans are Indifferent.

Characterizing the people of Kansas as being sixty per cent. willing, thirty per cent. indifferent, and ten per cent. willful, President W. A. Lewis of the Fort Hays Normal, chairman of the Sixth District council of defense, a member of the Kansas Hoover executive committee and a coal administrator, said Monday in his address that he was about ready to ask for the use of some of Ambassador Gerard's 501,000 lamp posts.

"I have a letter on my desk in the form of a county report which says, 'We are too busy in our county to do anything but look after our own work and the Red Cross and the Liberty Loan can wait.' After telling a Kansas audience that in 1915 the German soldier had a personal loathing of the atrocities which he was ordered to commit and that now in 1917 the German soldier makes unspeakable atrocities matters of personal pride but also something to boast about in his letters to his own mother, fifty per cent. of that audience refused to sign the pledge cards and I overheard several remarks of "We should worry."

TIGERS SCOOP GAME

AFTER HARD, STEADY GAME, A TOUCHDOWN AND KICK GOAL WAS SCORED DURING LAST QUARTER

Identical Line Up as Was Used at Southwestern

Sweeping aside four Baker men and receiving a twenty yard forward pass for a touchdown Rex Welty, Normal's star player won the game from Baker University by a score of 7 to 0. Gross kicked goal. With the identical line up that he used against Southwestern and won, Coach "Bunt" Speer won his second victory this season. Because of an unfortunate incident in the first quarter Dalton one of Baker's stars was put out of the game by referee Grover. Groves, Baker's all-state right half went to quarter. He had not called signals before in his four years of football experience.

Notwithstanding this disadvantage he played the remarkable game that he did. At the end of the first half Groves got away from the Tigers and made a forty yard run before he could be stopped. Wilson tackled and doned him. That run according to the view of Coach Schlademan should have won the game for Baker had not one of their own men run into him which caused him to swerve about to the south, which offered a chance to down him, and took the opportunity offered. Coach Schlademan when statement forgot that

The Baker offense was most entirely on getting down the field under Groves high spiral punts and taking advantage of the Normal backfield's slippery fingers during the first half. Groves outpunted Rex fifteen or twenty yards. Baker made downs six times, the Tigers nine, four of which were made by "Busch" Gross singlehanded, who played his second college game. During the game Baker tried eleven forward passes and completed six. Stewart the all state end completed three. The Normal tried six and completed three. One resulted in the touchdown that won the game. There were nine minutes of the last quarter yet to play. The Tigers had the ball on the twelve yard line. It was the fourth down and the boys were unable to break through the Baker line

Captain Archer went into conference with Gross and suggested the play that won the game. The signals called for a fake forward pass which meant that Ordway and Hemphill were to run as though the pass was intended for one of them while Rex Welty cut in behind the Orange line where in the midst of four Baker men he jumped and scooped the ball for a clean touchdown. Fumbles were a fault of both teams, five being made by Fort Hays Normal and seven by Baker, two of which were made by their captain. In commenting on the game Jack Grover, the dean of the Missourui Valley officials, the man who refused an opportunity to referee the Nebraska-Iowa game to referee ours, said that from the standpoint of the entire game it was the best tackling he had ever seen, that football of that quality would certainly build up football in Hays and that it was an excellent exhibition of the college sport.

THE LINE UP

Baker	F. H. N.
Stewart	R. E. Ordway
Preshaw	R. T. Wilson
E. Johnson	R. G. Gilliland
Nevins	C. Archer, Capt.
Cubit	L. G. Ray Welty
R. Johnson	L. T. Brunner

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Saturday, October 27, 1917

Music Department Gives Recital

In order to give others the opportunity of knowing what the music department is doing, to acquaint the students with the Normal Auditorium stage and to make them feel at ease when participating in a public program a number of Student Recitals will be given at intervals of two weeks. The first one took place Saturday, October 20th.

In this way the music students may more thoroughly know what his fellow students are doing and thus create an interest in the whole school. Those taking part were: —a Voice Solos: Elma Creight Armstrong, Ruth Small, Ed am gopey, Agnes Phillips. n. We have Piano Solos: Ennice and have Piano Soloist: Vera Vesner, Margaret Schaeffer.

SCHOENHALS PLANS CAMPAIGN

Four Teachers' Meetings Have Been Held Calls are Coming for Plans

The three months' campaign for better rural schools was begun last week by Miss Schoenhals. She suggests the following outline to be used in each county. That the county be divided into four sections, each section to have a one day meeting, of all the teachers in that section, beginning at nine a. m.

The meeting to consist of demonstrations in reading Geography and other subjects, the children at the school where the meeting is held are to be used to demonstrate with. From four to five p. m., a general conference with the teachers and in the evening a parent teachers' meeting. On Saturday a combined teacher's-parent meeting to be held at the county seat.

Miss Schoenhals is to conduct each of these meetings, that gives her a week in each county. She gives the following report from last week in Thomas County.

There were four meetings with an average of ten teachers in each sectional meeting. An average of seventy-eight patrons at the teacher-parent meetings.

The work met with success. Board members expressed their desire for good libraries and also to buy busy work for the schools. There were several calls for school house plans, which Miss Schoenhals carried with her supplies.

ARROWHEADS

After being six weeks in Mr. Wooster's Biology and Nature Study class a certain student discovered by accident that he was supposed to possess a text book.

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Mr. Lewis: (in faculty meeting) "You can't get a man to look over these days for less than three dollars."

Miss Agnew: "Well I see my finish."

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Some of the English students think that Lola Groff would make a successful Red Cross worker, because P. Caspar Harvey says she has a "promising twinkle in her eye."

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Most popular things in school the past week have been the radiators when there was any heat.

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You are asked not to depend on getting all your arrowheads from the Indians.

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"Say do you know where that cloud is going?"

"Oh, just going to thunder."

Red Cross Notes

The bi-monthly Red Cross meeting was held October 18th in the Fort Hays Kansas Normal School Auditorium.

Boxes have been placed in the three main buildings for clippings which would be interesting to the boys in the camps. Pictures of pretty girls, clever jokes and the like are welcome.

Eighty-two dollars and ten cents was subscribed from the student body for the purpose of sending each boy who has gone from the Normal a Christmas box. These boxes are to be filled with goodies and gifts by the stay-at-homes.

Miss Jennie Nickles was elected Chairman of the Committee for Christmas boxes.

The Normal School Auxiliary plans to send a letter full of Christmas cheer to each boy who has gone from Ellis County. Will you do your bit as a students and choose the name of some soldier to whom you wish to contribute.

5th ss Elizabeth Condit, chairman of an Instruction Committee, has arranged sewing hours from seven to the 15th Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesday, or Friday evenings. Some people a chance to "pull something over" the members of the Hays Chapter by saying that they signed up for Red Cross work at the Normal School. These people fail to attend either sewing group, hence they stand before the eyes of the public as slackers.

The following were elected as officers of the Normal Auxiliary, Wednesday: Margaret Chittenden, president; Annabell Agnew, vice president; Dora E. Grass, secretary; Rena Faubion, treasurer; Bertha Millstead, chairman of membership committee; Dwight L. Wooster, chairman of Finance Committee; Flossie Vinson, chairman of supply committee.

Miss Chittenden would like for anyone receiving interesting letters from the soldiers to give them to her so that they may be read in the bi-monthly meetings.

PERSONNEL OF F. H. N. TIGERS

Many Men Filling Places of Former Players Who Have Answered Call to Arms.

Ralph Archer, captain, weight 185, home address Great Bend, Senior College.

Archer plays center and is the mainstay in the team's line. As an all around athlete he is the "Jim Thorpe" of Fort Hays Normal athletics. Archer captained the Tiger basket ball five two years ago caught for the baseball team and along with his athletics he piloted Fort Hays Normal champion debate team and was editor in chief of the school's paper. Had the honor of making the most graceful and flashiest touchdown ever seen upon a Hays gridiron, against the Haskell Indians last year.

Arthur Hemphill, left end, weight 126, home address WaKeeney, graduate from Norton High School, Freshman college. He played two years with Norton High School. First year in college athletics and "old hobblehorse" sure is making good. Raymond Welty, left guard, weight

165 pounds, home address Hill City. Senior College, guard on basketball varsity for two years and last season captained team. First year on football team. Ray always plays a hard steady game.

Harold Gilliland, right guard, weight 180, Sophomore College. Home address Hill City. Graduate of Hill City High School. Gilliland's first year in football. Although new to the game he plays his position like a veteran.

Robert Brunner, left tackle, weight 175 pounds, Freshman. Home address Ransom. Brunner, a last year's K man plays the game with such dogged determination to win that his opponents always find in him a formidable foe.

Clair Wilson, right tackle, weight 165 pounds. Home address, Hays. Graduate of Hays High School. Freshman College. Playing a position generally filled by men of twenty pounds more weight, "Daddy" aided by four years experience on the Hays High School team fills his place as solid as the "Rock of Gibraltar."

Paul Gross, quarter, weight 150 pounds. Home address, Hays Hays High School graduate, Freshman College. Four year's leader of the Hays High School "Busch" leads the Normal this year in true winning style.

Ben Westbrook, left half, weight 155 pounds. Home address, Hays. Hays High School graduate, Freshman College. Another recruit from the Hays High School. Ben certainly is playing football. By shoving over two touchdowns against Southwestern he enabled Fort Hays Normal to win its first conference game this season.

Rex Welty, right half, weight 170 pounds. Home address, Hill City, graduate Hill City High School, Sophomore College. Rex a last year's K man and winner of two second all-state titles in his first year in college athletics, has already this season shown up as one of the best broken field runners in the conference. We are expecting Rex to win an all-state title this year.

170 pounds. Home address, Ray Kansas, Freshman. Third year on the team, Solid, steady and dependable. Wiley sustained his first injury of his football career last week on a class picnic.

Lynn Ordway, right end, weight 160 pounds. Home address, Damar, Kansas, Sophomore College. Second year on the team. Lynn is playing the same position he filled last year.

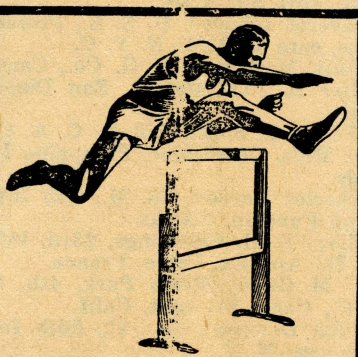
The following men are also on the squad: Robert Spencer, Ira Spencer, Grainville Hays, Lann McCord, John Callahan, Philip Hargitt, Fred Jepson, Frank Law, David Tapscott, Geogre Abell, Edwin Ekey, Rufus rest, Agnew, Scott Reynolds, Merlin Herman, James For-

President W. A. Lewis left Friday morning, for McPherson, where he will deliver an address at the Teachers' Institute.

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ON DRESS PARADE

Picnics and Birthday Parties Feature in this Weeks' Activities

The first class picnic of the season was held by the College Freshman Tuesday evening, October 2nd, at the old Barbecue grounds. A supper of weinies and marshmallows served in campfire style featured the evening's entertainment.

Miss Mary Hargitt and May Brasted were guests at a chafing dish breakfast given by Lulu Germann and Elma Creighton last Sunday morning. The event was in honor of Miss Hargitt's birthday.

The girls belonging to Miss Grass' Sunday School met Friday evening at the parsonage for a social hour. A part of the time was spent in discussing plans for the year's work. Among other things they decided to devote two evenings a month to Red Cross work. Refreshments of cocoa and wafers were served.

A number of the young people of the town and Normal school held a reception at the Essex Hall Friday, October 12th. They had as guests the Baker Football men who will vouch for the good floor and music at the club house that night.

The girls of Mrs. Wood's Sunday School class gave a "Character Party" in the M. E. church parlors on the night of Friday, October 12th. Among the many characters represented was "Charlie Chaplin" without a doubt, scored the biggest hit. Two policemen rigidly enforced the laws which were conspicuously displayed throughout the room and collected a penny for each violation. Refreshments, cocoa and cookies, were served at the cost of one cent each and all of the pennies turned over to the class Treasurer for Missionary purposes. The party was a great success and all reported a "dandy" time.

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Howard Harold was the guest at "Rook" party given in honor of his birthday at the Irwin home Thursday evening by his table mates at the dining club. Light refreshments were served. Those present were Misses Elsie Mae Smith, Merle Caswell, Mildred Paughurn and Sara VanAntwery and Messrs. Robert Brunner, John Knoll, Howard Harold and Perle Tilley.

The semi-annual Sophomore picnic was held Monday evening October 15th. Baked beans was the only departure from the established order.

The birthday of Joe Henning was celebrated at the Baptist Parsonage Monday evening, by the young ladies' and young men's classes of that church. Gifts of socks and handkerchiefs were presented.

Fried chicken and ice cream were enjoyed in addition to the regular Dining Club "eats" Thursday noon by the "table" bunch to which Miss Lulu Germann belongs. It was her birthday and they just had to do something. Those included were Misses Elma Creighton, Ruth Fliesbach, Gertrude Ramsey, Florence Laubmann and Lulu Germann and Messrs. Lynn Smith and Ralph and Glenn Archer.

The young ladies of the Baptist church had their first regular meeting for Red Cross work Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Lucille Felton. Among those present were Miss Grass, Miss Agnew, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Kate Stone, Iva Warner, Flora Troth, Ruth Brummitt and Ethel Spencer.

The teachers of the Hays Public Schools spent an evening last week picknicking on Big Creek. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Shively, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Lee, Miss Annabelle Sutton, Jessie Dobson, Mabel Leger, Mary Callahan, Margurite Boomer, Prue Morgan, Maude McMinds, Bena Morse, Della Unruh and Mr. Frank Carmen were among those present.

The birthday of Miss Esther Rippey was observed by the girls of the Irwin House last Friday evening by a dainty repast of welsh rarebit and perchoe which was served from chafing dishes. Those present were, Esther Rippey, Merl Caswell, Sara VanAntwerp, Gertrude Ramsey, Bernice Clark, Edna Walker and Anna Hastings.

For the purpose of adding socially and giving an opportunity to practice French conversation to the regular students in French, a club was organized Friday evening, October 19, when Miss Condit entertained the class and a few interested guests at her home. Meetings will be held every second Friday at 7:30 p. m. Clarence Agnew was elected president, Miss Condit vice president, Carrie Myers, secretary and Arthur Hemphill, treasurer. Among those present were, Mrs. Condit, Misses Crighton, Kirkman, Penney, Myers, Middlekauff, Garrett, Condit, Germann and Dorney, Messrs, W. B. Roberts, Agnew and Hemphill

The Junior and Senior Academs held a picnic near the old ice house last Friday evening. A little unusual

excitement was produced by the interference of upper classmen but all report a good time.

Y. W. C. A. AT WORK

Much Interest Evidenced by the Girls of the School in this Enterprise.

Owing to the fact that the Y. M. C. A., is not able this year to take its place as an organization in the school a double duty falls on the shoulders of the Y. W. C. A. The president and cabinet are calling for girls to take up the work of Y. W. C. A. Every girl will find a place for her in the association. It means a responsibility to be a worker in the Y. W. C. A., but it is a responsibility good to be entitled to. The Association as a whole is just beginning to take up a great war work. The girls of this association wish to accomplish their part of this work. And in addition to this the work of the Y. M. C. A., must be taken care of.

The association is divided into various departments, each department be represented by a member in the cabinet. Each girl is given a place where she can best work. At Topeka a Y. W. C. A. conference will be held to adopt plans for the work for the coming years. In order to fill our place best in this work we need more girls. You will not be disappointed in the association. Join us and be at home in the great Y. W. C. A., movement.

Leads Kansas Conference.

(Continued from first page)
The big boost for Archer, center and captain came in The Star for Wednesday, October 13th. A picture of the doughty player was also printed in The Star. The comment was as follows:

With two conference victories already tucked away, Captain Archer and his Fort Hays Normal School football team are looking forward to a Kansas state championship. Archer plays center and is the mainstay in the team's line. As an all around athlete he is the "Jim Thorpe" of Fort Hays athletes. Archer captained the Tiger basket ball five in 1915, caught for the baseball team and along with his athletics he piloted Fort Hay's champion debate team and was the editor-in-chief of the school's papers.

In fact if the Tigers lost the St. Mary's game it will be because of no such favorable "dope" but anyhow we like such good "dope" for our own sake if not for their's and Coach Speer's too.

Tigers Scoop Game

(Continued from first page.)
Baker L. E. Hemphill
Dalton, Groves, Capt. G. Gross
Sheve, Nye R. G. Rex Welty
Groves, Capt. L. H. Westbrook
Clark
Park F. Compton
Markell, Emporia Normal.
Referee: Grover, Georgetown University. Umpire: Weeder, Pnnsylvania University. Head Linesman: Markwell.

Archer's Picture Was in Star.

Captain Ralph Archer's football picture was in the Kansas City Star on last Wednesday evening. It was posed especially for The Star by Ralph, Mr. Wooster was the photographer.

Five Normal students have had their pictures in The Star in the last three years and so far into this fourth year. Grace E. Copeland and C. Ray Breitwieser has theirs in 1915, James R. Start in 1916, Rex Welty in fall of 1916 and Ralph Archer's this fall.

Mr. Harvey wants to know who next will have done enough to deserve a similiar recognition personally and for the school.

Edna Furbeck is back in school after a few weeks absence on account of the illness of her sister.

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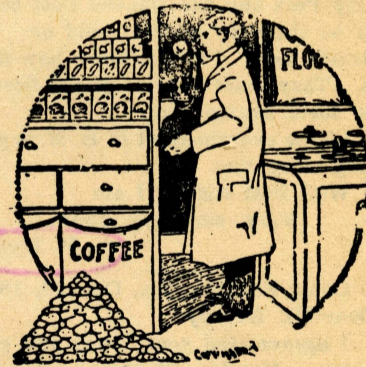
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Camp Funston, Kansas,
Oct. 13, 1917.

Dear Mr. Harvey:

I want to thank you very much for the clippings and football note you At that time we bunked together and when I read the football note to the boys they began to cheer. Now our cots are arranged by squads and we F. H. N., boys do not sleep quite so close together. A squad consists of eight men and the cots are arranged side by side. Whisnant and John McKnight are in the same company with us. Whisnant came the same day we did about twelve o'clock at night and McKnight came last Tuesday. Our company now has over two hundred men.

I think you have all the names of the F. H. N., boys at this camp with the exception of Henry F. Herman, 47th Company, Depot Brigade. Herman received his life certifiact in 1912 in the same class with me.

The F. H. N. boys here are all getting along fine. This morning we had inspection. About ten o'clock we marched over north on the hills where Major-General Wood adressed the Depot Brigade. There sure was some crowd of men. You could see htem come from all directions. Major-General Wood says this war will not be won by any invention or with airplanes, but by straight fighting. He expects to have us ready to cross the sea by spring.

Our company is composed of a splendid bunch of men representing all kinds of trades. The boys are taking hold of their new job with a real spirit and are learning the game fast. These drafted men are going to make the best army in the world. There is some system to this amy life and every soldier will learn to do everything. I had planned to write a whole lot of letters last Sunday but had to help in the kitchen all day—a very pleasant job.

I enjoy this army life and am going to get all out of it I can. We are getting substantial meals and have plenty of bed clothing to keep us warm. We as sprantia omcers are they are doing all they can to make the boys comfortable. We raised a company fund and will rent us a piano and a litte later start an orchstra. I haven't had time to get lonesome.

This afternoon, the Kansas City Post and the Denver Post are showing the Chicago-New York baseball game on an electric sign board at the same time it is being played. By this electric board you can see every play that is made. You can see who is at the bat, how many balls and strikes he gets, etc. You can see everything in detail. It is quite interesting. I have watched several evenings after supper. The Kansas City Post and the Denver Post seem to be the only papers sold on the streets here. I do not know how that is. They must have a special license or some arrangement.

I hope everybody at F. H. N. is getting along fine.

With best wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,

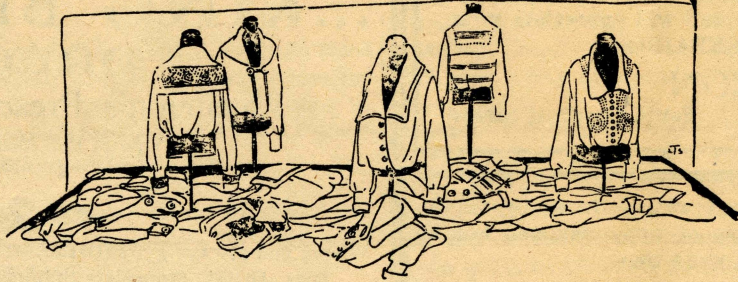
A. F. Bieker

Camp Funston, Ks., Oct. 19, 1917.

Dear Mr. Harvey:

I appreciated your letter and clippings. Monday afternoon I was called to headquarters and sent to the qartermaster corps. Yesterday I was transferred. My new address is, Pvt. A. F. Bieker, Q. M. C. Detachment, Camp Funston, Ks.

I am doing office work now, and



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like it fine. Thomas Mock, Asa King and McKnight will probably be transferred to the band in a few days. The other boys may sent away to another camp.

Very sincerely yours,

A. F. Bieker.

Camp Funston, Kansas.

Oct. 8, 1917.

Dear Miss Cave:

Your note of the 8th certainly made a record breaking trip as it was delivered to me at eight a. m., this morning. Mail has piled up for several days, especially second class.

I have not seen nor heard from any of the men from Hays. Mr. Bieker wrote me that he was to be here the 5th. However, he hasn't showed up. I am working long hours every day now and have no time to go to meet the trains. During the past week, there have been from five to fifteen heating specials, nulling in every day, each with its load of men for the camp. I work at Ware House eight in the Q. M. property office and we do not meet many of the enlisted men. They are south of the track for the most part, while we work and live north of it.

Until I know to what Battalion or Company the Hays boys have been assigned, or until they call on me, or we accidentally meet (which isn't probable) I could give you no information. If they have written home, you know more than I, as I know absolutely nothing. I do not get any paper from Hays, and have received no letters since leaving except yours. You know that young ladies do not remember old bachelors any more than young men remember old maids. I did nothing the first week or two after coming. I thought to write after a while, then the work came on and now I am busy accounting all daylight, there is little light and no fire at all at barracks, so I can not write very well lafter night. Yesterday I posted acounts all day.

I am surprised at your reference to the Free Press. I never wrote a line for that, or any other paper. I am a subscriber but never receive the publication down here. I did write to Dr. Hale, which probably accounts for it.

In regard to presents. I am afraid you would have little success with perishable stuff. The postoffice is desperately short handed. The men

are coming in rapidly and there is hopeless confusion. Unless you had their battalion and company addresses they might never get it. We have nearly 40,000 new men here now. Can you even imagine the job the post-office department has? They tell us that no second class mail has been touched for three days. I do know there is a stack of mail bags as high as a house lying outside untouched. Order and system will come of course, but it all takes time.

The men are well fed at present. Our chief trouble is with clothing and bedding. We have been unable to get bedding and clothing fast enough simply because the factories can't make it and the railroads cannot deliver it as rapidly as we need it. Blankets, mattresses, cots, overcoats, eac., are issued as rapidly as they come in. Yesterday we gave out 5,000 overcoats, 16,000 blankets, etc., and still omcers come clamoring into the warehouses for things we do not have and cannot get. If "John" sends home an S. O. S., for a blanket for heavens sake send him a heavy comforter—yes two or three—by next mail (P. P.). Do not wait. Last night it got down below freezing and some of the poor fellows had only their two thin little blankets and a few none at all. They cannot buy them because they aer not to be had. They cannot go to St. Louis or Kansas City, because they are not allowed to leave the reservation. It would do no good if they could.

Regulations say "you must have such and so" as a matter of fact even the officers are wearing what they can get.

They have no heat in our barracks. No hot water, none of the many things used to at home. It is hustle out at six o'clock, take a cold bath and shave and then with your knife, fork and spoon, pan and cup, go get your bacon coffee and bread. The cooking is good and food plentiful.

So if you know the addresses of the men, you can try sending them stuff. If you have not their exact addresses, better not try it at present.

I am sorry I cannot help you. You might earn the eternal gratitude of some young men—even the young man himself later in life. He will remember many a long day, the girl who really does something for him. It is worth her while considering too, because it is the best young men who are being sent, for this is no boys' job. We are leaving the yellow boys, the runts, and the rejects at home for the anxious girls. Of course this is not personal, because it does not apply to old bachelors.

There are persisted rumors that we shall soon go to Jacksonville, Fa. There we are to receive a month's training and be in France by Christmas.

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