Remarkable Progress Shown At Morehead State Normal, New Buildings Completed

The following is a resume of a recent article in the Kentucky Progress Magazine by J. Virgil Chaplin, in which he relates the progress made at the Morehead State Normal and Teacher's College.

We rejoice that this is distinctly a land of progress and that we live in a land of progress. What was recently only a typical mountain town is now a thriving and growing city. What was once a little city, the seat of Morehead Teachers' College, a hardy, God-fearing people, who have made it a model of what can be done in a small community. This movement began in 1877, when a small group of people decided to establish a normal school in Morehead, Kentucky, and one of these was subsequently located at Morehead.

This decision was made by a group of citizens who were concerned with the education of the young people of the community. They realized that the future of their town depended on the education of its youth. They believed that education was the key to success and that a normal school was necessary to provide young people with the knowledge and skills they needed to succeed.

The new school was well received by the community, and it quickly gained a reputation for excellence. It was the first of its kind in the area, and it attracted students from all over the region. The school was well equipped and had a reputation for high standards of education. It was the first step towards the development of a strong educational system in the area.

The article goes on to describe the progress made at the school, including the construction of new buildings, the expansion of the curriculum, and the increase in enrollment. It highlights the dedication of the faculty and the hard work of the students, and it emphasizes the importance of education in the community.

The article concludes by expressing a sense of optimism for the future of the school and the community. It suggests that the progress made so far is just the beginning, and that there is much more to come.

The following section describes the new buildings that have been completed at the college.

The new buildings provide adequate room for the same number. All these structures are of fireproof construction and all rooms for classrooms, dormitories, and reception rooms are well arranged and beautifully furnished. Burgess hall, the oldest building on the campus, was last spring restored to its former days. It forms a connecting link between the past and the present. It is a fine example of the skill of the president and provides a temporary auditorium and the book room. The new buildings erected here in the past six years, Morehead Teachers' College will be the best equipped "gym" in this section of the country. In fact, we doubt that one could find its superior in any other institution in Kentucky. The exterior of the buildings is designed in the Tudor Gothic style, with brick walls and stone accents. The design is characterized by grand stairway to the balcony, which immediately attracts attention of those passing by. The interior features ornamental plaster ceiling, an auditorium for 1,500 people on the first floor and balcony. The stage is 25 feet deep and 30 feet wide, the proscenium opening is 16 feet high and 24 feet wide, and it is provided with an orchestra pit, dressing rooms, and all modern conveniences. The auditorium and its accessories are set forth by the National Educational Association and other authorities in health and education. Morehead Teachers' College has taken a significant step towards modern education.