

January 10, 1913.

Faculty met in Library Friday evening January 10. Present: Bro. Hatcher Prof^s. Holbrook, Deskins and Hogg, Mrs. Hatcher, Misses Jameson, Tibbott and Plummer.

The first action taken was upon the names suggested by the two societies as officers for the present term. They were unanimously accepted.

Prof. Deskins was appointed counselor for the Present Society.

Kathleen Plummer came for Philo^s.

It was decided that a course in music be established in all grades and that such course be under the supervision of Miss Tibbott.

It is requested that the teachers arrange a definite plan for chaperoning the girls to church on Sunday evenings, whereby Miss Jameson may be relieved of the embarrassment of calling on some one.

It was moved and seconded that the boys be required to march in a body each Sunday morning - Carried.

A scholarship was voted to Mr. Black.

Adjournment.

Kathleen Plummer.

January 26, 1913.

Faculty met in Library January 26, '13.
It was decided that the small children be allotted the play ground north and west of the walks between Burgess and Hudson Halls, and that each teacher assist in having them unmolested while there.

It was also decided that each teacher give out song books to their respective pupils and collect money for same.

A motion was made and seconded that the faculty through Bro. Hatcher make some expression of encouragement to the Volunteer Missionary Girls. — Motion Carried.

It was requested that Miss Jameson be informed if any of the girls in the hall are not applying themselves sufficiently.

A half scholarship was voted to Troy Deskins also one to Blaine Lewis.

Adjournment

Katherine Plummer, Sec.

February 7, 1913.

Faculty met in Library Friday afternoon, four o'clock.

It was moved that Mr. Sweet be informed that there be no visiting in the library and that it be kept locked except between the three-thirty and five o'clock each afternoon.
Carried.

It was also decided that the following students: Ira Deskins, Pearl Robison, Myrtle Atkins, Mammie Williams, Lizzie Shumate, Claude Shroot, Roy Holbrook, Ois Black, Geneva Littleton, Lettie P. Sinner, and Anna McGlossain be permitted to take up janitor work.

Adjournment,

Katherine Plummer.

Feb. 28, 1913.

Faculty met in Miss Tibbotts room Friday, 4 P.M.
 The conduct of Otis Black, Walter Miller, Kirby
 Bradley and others was discussed. Nothing
 definite determined upon, and it was moved
 and seconded that another meeting be held
 Saturday morning. Carried.

K. P.

March 3, 13.

Faculty met in Library Monday, 3:30 P.M.
 It was moved that a committee be appointed
 to confer with boys for jumping out of windows
 locking pupils in rooms and for
 bad language. Motion carried.
 Committee Comps. Holbrook, Reehins, Hatcher.
 Adjournment.

K. P.

Moved that no boy or girl be permitted to enter
 a room where there is sickness except by
 permission of those in charge of Dormitory.
 Carried.

Moved that three grades be put together for
 music, and the exercise be conducted in
 Chapel Tuesday & Friday. Carried.

March 17, 1913.

At a faculty meeting it was moved that
 Audrey Ellington and Martin Sweeney be
 required to make a public acknowledgment
 and apologize in Chapel for their conduct
 while in Lexington. Carried.

K. P.

Apr. 25, 1913.

Moved that teachers excuse no one to go to trains. Carried.

The request of Mrs. Hurd that the faculty grant diplomas to graduates of her business class was referred to the faculty. The following action was taken.

Whereas: The C. H. B. W. has not organized a commercial department in Morehead Normal School,

Be it resolved, that the faculty has no right to grant diplomas to pupils of such departments.

Moved that said resolution be adopted. Carried.

Adjournment.

Kathleen Plummer.

May 10, 1913.

Motion made and seconded that a session of school be held on Saturday of each week and that Monday be observed as a holiday for the ensuing term. Carried.

Adjournment.

Kathleen Plummer.

COMMENCEMENT

1913

EXERCISES.

The Commencement Exercises of the Normal School were held this week. The Baccalaureate Sermon was delivered at the Christian church Sunday morning by Rev. F. C. Button. Monday night a recital was given by the Department of Music. Tuesday night an operetta was given under the management of Miss Annie Tibbott, teacher in music. Wednesday at two o'clock Class Day exercises were held. Thursday morning at ten o'clock Commencement exercises occurred on the Campus. The following were the graduates: Bennie Sweet, Fred Cook, Mahala Scaggs and Bertha Shepherd. There were also four graduates in music. The Class address was given Thursday by Prof. A. W. Fortune, of Transylvania University, of Lexington, Ky. Thursday evening the Alumni Banquet was given.

The school closes its twenty-sixth year with more flattering prospects than ever before. Since January first of this year it has made a phenomenal gain in strength and progress and influence in this community. The faculty is made up of capable, conscientious, christian men and women, of whose faithful efforts too much cannot be said in commendation. President J. Wesley Hatcher, Prof. D. M. Holbrook, Prof. R. M. Deskins, Miss Anna Tibbott, Miss Cromwell, Miss Plummer, Mrs. G. C. Nickell, Miss Jamison, Dr. and Mrs. Thomas have all contributed their best efforts toward making the school successful. But, the great strides which have been made during the term that is closing are due mainly to the fact that it has at its head a man who possesses all the qualities necessary to make such an institution a success. When Mr.

Hatcher came to Morehead he was met by the people of the community, who knew him well, with cordiality and complete confidence. Every act and effort of Mr. Hatcher's since he took charge of the school has more than justified that belief. He and his able faculty have achieved mightily in these few months. They have accomplished results which even the most hopeful had not expected. During this term 291 students have been enrolled, notwithstanding the fact that there is one public and one private school in the town besides. The intellectual and moral standards of the school have been perceptibly elevated, and already his influence for righteous living and high thinking is being felt in the school and community. President Hatcher has been compelled to give much time to familiarizing himself with conditions surrounding the school. Judging from the masterly way in which he has acquainted himself with and handled the situation, the next session will record a degree of prosperity and efficiency greater than ever known. It is safe to predict that all who go forth during his incumbency as graduates from the school will bear the stamp of high character and thorough scholarship.

The term which is closing has been characterized indeed by a strenuous and heroic effort, and each and every citizen should seek the opportunity to express to the faculty the approval and the gratitude which they so sincerely cherish, and to pledge themselves to any new plans or adjustments which may be attempted for the welfare of the institution in the future.

Oct. 3, 1913.

A faculty meeting was held at 8:30 P.M. in the Library of Burgess Hall, object the signing of certain diplomas which had not been received in time in May, and the election of a Secretary. Miss Cromwell was chosen. The time was devoted chiefly to the discussion of the introduction of tennis and basket ball. Miss Jones was made supervisor of Athletics. On motion it was decided to fit up the sewing room for basket ball during the winter, and Miss Jones was authorized to procure prices of ball, rackets etc. Motion to admit High School pupils residing in town to these games. Carried. Moved that the faculty and students secure the amount needed for these games by soliciting from friends. Carried. After some discussion of the order in which pupils should be required to enter and leave the school building the meeting adjourned.

B. M. Cromwell
Secy.

Oct. 7, 1913.

The faculty met to decide upon some matters pertaining to the Literary Societies.

The following list of officers was presented by the Crescents:

Maudie Leach, President.

Sarah Wilson Vice Pres.

Ruth Dice Secretary.

Earl Goodman Treas.

Ruth Van Sant, Chaplain

Myrtle Watkins, Pianist.

This selection was approved by the faculty, and the following for the Philotheans:

Chas. McKinley, President

Ira Perkins Vice Pres.

Hannie Williams Secretary

Halter Wilkinson Treas.

Fred Shorthers, Sergeant at Arms

Lena Turner, Chaplain.

The time of meeting of the closed sessions of the societies was set for alternate Saturday evenings.

Motion made & seconded that the Crescents give an open session one month, and the Philotheans one the following month. Carried. Mrs. Colfax was chosen Counsellor for the Philotheans, and Miss Cooper for Crescents, though the latter hesitated to accept.

This matter having been disposed of, the faculty was asked to consider the behavior of Troy Watkins, a scholarship pupil. Mr. Katcher stated that he had been guilty of insubordination, of using bad language, and especially on one occasion of creating a disturbance in the dormitory. Troy was called in and given an opportunity to explain his conduct, if he had any thing to offer by way of extenuation.

Motion was made that he be given another

trial, be retained in school on condition of good behavior and loyalty to the school. Carried

Bettie M. Cromwell, Secy.

Oct. 16, 1913.

The faculty met in the library at 3:30 P. M. On request of Mr. Hatcher, Miss Jamison presented the occasion of the meeting. An insulting note had been handed, sometime in the morning, to Evelyn received by Troy Deekins. The note was in Miss Jamison's possession, and the handwriting had been identified by some of the pupils as Troy's. When called before the faculty, Troy denied having written the note, claimed that he had found it among some paper in a desk, but acknowledged having given it to her. He was excused, and there followed a long and earnest discussion of the matter. No decision was reached, and the meeting adjourned until the next day.

Bettie M. Cromwell, Secy.

Oct. 17.

The faculty was again called together to decide upon what should be done in regard to Troy Deekins. Miss Jamison reported that Evelyn Pollier declared she would not remain in the school if Troy did. As in the preceding meeting, the affair and its probable results were discussed from every view point.

Finally motion was made and seconded that Troy be sent from school. Carried. The meeting then adjourned.

Bettie M. Cromwell,
Secy.

Dec. 3, 1913.

A faculty meeting was called for 3:30 in the library. Complaint was made that two of the larger boys in the Normal Department had mistreated some of the little boys. The adjustment of the matter was left to Prof. Holbrook and Mrs. Coefer.

The department of pupils, especially the Seniors, in the dining was brought before the meeting, and suggestions made as to improvement.

It was decided that no final examinations should be given now.

Mr. Hatcher showed several specimen diplomas which had been sent him and requested the opinion of the teachers. Choice was made. The meeting adjourned.

Bettie M. Cromwell.

Dec. 18.

The faculty met in the Library.

Mr. Hatcher stated that early in the term a request had been made by one of the Ministers of the town that students, who were members of some other than the Christian Church, be allowed to attend that church. The matter had again been brought rather urgently before him, and he desired an expression from the teachers in regard to it.

Motion that no change be made in the existing arrangement. Carried.

Mr. Hatcher expressed his wishes for a happy Christmas for all the teachers, and gave a similar message & wish from Mrs. Atwater.

After some discussion of the special musical program for Chapel services Saturday morning the meeting adjourned.

Bettie M. Cromwell.