

Jan. 16, 1914.

The first faculty meeting of the new year was held in the library at 3:30 P. M. No business of special importance; the enrollment reported by various teachers as follows:

Normal	52
High School	39
Eighth Grade + 7 th	70
Sixth + Fifth	24
Primary	50
Total	235

It was decided that in the dining hall each table should be dismissed as it finished eating.
Adjourned.

B. W. Cromwell

Jan. 21.

A meeting of the faculty was called immediately after Chapel exercises to consider a case of discipline, Verillo Black and Stanley Yount having been guilty of improper conduct during the exercises. Verillo was dismissed with a reprimand, but Stanley's attitude was so defiant and disrespectful that the consideration of his conduct was continued. At 3:30 P. M. the faculty met in the Library Mr. Yount and Stanley both present. Mr. Hatcher stated that Mr. Yount and Stanley had come to his study earlier in the afternoon; that the matter had been discussed at length, and Stanley had finally expressed his willingness to apologize for his misconduct. He now made this apology; it was accepted by Mr. Hatcher in behalf of himself and the faculty. After some expressions of renewed confidence from teachers to Stanley, meeting adjourned.

B. W. Cromwell

Feb. 24, 1914.

The faculty met in the Library at 3.30 P.M.
 A report of enrollment showed the following:

Normal 81

High School 40

7th & 8th Grades 81

5th & 6th " 22

Primary 51 . Total 275.

Miss Jameson stated that the Student Volunteer
 Convention would be held at Wilmore, Feb. 28.

On motion, it was decided that the faculty
 pay the membership fee (\$2.00) for Ethel
 Osborne and Elizabeth Hutchinson.

Then the advisability of sending them to the
 convention was discussed and left for
 decision to teachers of Bangs Hall.

Motion that there be a meeting of one or the
 other of the literary societies every two
 weeks instead of every week as heretofore,
 and that those on program be
 answerable to the faculty for the
 performance of duty assigned them. Carried.

Samples of diplomas were considered.

Moved that we select one from
 T. H. Martin, Boston.

Meeting Adjourned.

Bettie M. Cromwell.

March 3, 1914.

The faculty met 4 P. M. object to consider the report of Mrs. Witches regarding the action of the State Board in the matter of the "Model School". Mrs. Witches stated that the idea of the "Model School" originated with Mrs. Cora Wilson Stewart in address before Rowan Co. Institute; that she presented the matter to the C. H. B. M. and the State Board, at the Bowling Green Convention last summer, gave \$500 for the establishment of such a school. But it had been impossible to secure a competent teacher, and nothing had been done.

At the semi-annual meeting of the State Board Feb. 27. a letter had been read from Mrs. Otwater asking what disposition should be made of this money! Mrs. Witches had reviewed the matter of the Model School stating his conviction that the larger good would result to the Marchand Normal from using the \$500 in strengthening the ~~work~~ already in hand, preferably in securing another teacher.

Motion was made by Prof. Halbrooke and seconded by Miss Mitchell that "The Faculty endorse the plan which Mrs. Witches had presented to the State Board regarding the investment of the \$500." Carried.
Meeting adjourned.

Bettie M. Cromwell.

March 16, 1914.

The Faculty met at 4 P. M. to consider a proposal concerning the Literary Societies, the young men having suggested the organization of a Debating Society. Moved that the counsellors call the societies together and inform them that no change would be made in their organization, but that the societies could have a joint meeting for a debate. Carried. The question of social privilege was brought up. Moved and ~~seconded~~ that this be allowed on Monday afternoons from 2-4 P. M., and on school days one half hour after school and one half hour after supper. Carried.
Adjournment.

Bettie M. Cromwell.

March 20,

Meeting of the Faculty called at 4 P. M. The matter before it was a case of discipline. Grace Newell, Myrtle Odhins and, Goma and Fern Watkins had come down late to breakfast, and finding the door to the dining room locked (according to recent regulations) had gone out on the campus, contrary to rule and down to the turnstile. Then returning and finding the door unlocked had come in ~~to~~ after breakfast was nearly over; had acted in an unbecoming manner then and afterward; when reprimanded had been guilty of impertinence.

The young ladies were called before the faculty, questioned and dismissed. Their attitude confirmed the belief on part of teachers that their action was a deliberate defiance of rules.

On motion it was decided that they be deprived of the privilege of going out on the campus (except in going to and returning from school) during the recesses and during the afternoon and evening for a week.
Meeting Adjourned.

Bettie M. Cromwell.

You, Secretary had such a rare pleasure in visiting Morehead recently and was confirmed in the belief long cherished that no work is higher or brings richer returns than that of our educational Institutions.

April 1914.

A visit to the Class-rooms proved the efficiency of our faithful teachers and delighted the heart of the visitor by the discipline and alertness of these, as well as the quickness and responsiveness of the pupils. The deportment and order maintained in the whole school certainly reflects credit upon its Principal, and the harmony and loyalty existing in the Faculty as well as among the students helps one to understand the high position the school holds in the estimation of the community. There surely can be no more inspiring sight than to look into the earnest faces of this host of our Mountain Sons and Daughters as they are gathered in the Chapel and hear their strong, clear voices in their chosen songs. Prof. Hatcher has already an assured place in the confidence of the parents of the students and the people of Morehead, and has created deep interest by his Tuesday morning Chapel talks in the deeper problems of life and its higher lessons.

No one save those who have had upon heart and mind the development of young life in all its complex phases and the burden of managing Educational Institutions like our Mountain Schools can have an adequate conception of the infinite patience and wisdom required as well as the constant strain upon brain and nerves.

We owe a great debt to those in whose hands we have placed the care of these and kindred institutions and their loyal faithful assistants—many of whom have given a large part of their lives to them. We owe them our prayers—our sympathy and financial and moral support. What rich harvests of noble useful lives have these mountain schools produced as a reward for the years of faithful sowing.

Mrs. Hatcher has greatly strengthened the Auxillary at Morehead since assuming the Presidency. They are planning for some Mission Study for next year. She brings to the work unusual ability and equipment, as well as consecration and a love for it engendered when she was District Secretary in Ohio.

Mrs. Campbell

April 24, 1914.

3:30

A meeting of the Faculty was called to consider a matter of discipline. At the beginning of chapel services some difficulty arose between Kirby Bradley, Earl Hunt and one or two other boys. The affair was continued in a way during the exercises, Uncle Black teasing Earl by throwing bits of paper at his head. At the close as the students were passing out, Kirby put out his foot to trip Earl as he passed. The latter stumbled, and then turning struck Kirby.

After discussion of the matter, motion was made by Prof. Kelbrook that the boys be reprimanded publicly, that they apologize; and that Kirby and Deville and another boy who had helped this been guilty with them of similar misconduct be required to change seats. Seconded; motion to amend by Miss Mitchell to exclude mention of the other boy; amendment carried. Motion thus amended carried.

Faculty adjourned.

Betty H. Lemwell.

Prof. Hatcher has sent the following:
Commencement week made a fitting close for the work of the year in Morehead Normal School. Every program was strong and well rendered. The effect of the week could not be other than the deepening of purpose and an uplift for all. The themes of the graduates were strong and practical, showing carefulness of preparation and earnestness of spirit, which have characterized their work. The subjects were "Vocational Education," "Kentucky as a Factor in National Life," "The Panama Canal," "The Awakened Social Conscience," etc. 1914

The sermon of Bro. C. R. Sine, of Hamilton, O., in the Baccalaureate services and the class address delivered by Bro. I. J. Spencer of Lexington, Ky., merit special mention. These practical burning messages have left an impression from which none who heard can get away. Life must be richer because of them. These brethren and the other guests of the week with their optimism, kindly spirit and vital interest in us and our work have brought us much. Our one regret is that many more of our unflinching friends cannot come that we may have the inspiration of their fellowship and that they may become personally acquainted with the work and the workers.

The work of the year has been most gratifying. The relations between the members of the faculty and between faculty and students have been always sympathetic, helpful and strong. The spirit of confidence and earnestness and joy has been upon all throughout the year.

With the teachers of the year planning to return, the enthusiasm of students for their work and for the school, the changes in organization and policy which experience has led us to make and the extended and strengthened courses, we look toward the work of another year with enthusiasm and joy.

Fraternally yours,

J. WESLEY HATCHER.

At Morehead, Monday morning, May 18, 1914.

P. S.—The term of 1914-15 is to open Tuesday, September 1, 1914.

Yours,

J. W. H.

The teachers and students have gone to their homes for the well earned rest. Miss J. Millon Jones, teacher of English and Science will specialize along the lines of her work in Kentucky University this summer. Miss Nancy Cooper is planning to spend the summer in the Eastern Normal at Richmond taking special training for Primary work. Brother Hatcher and family will go to their home at Columbus, O. the early part of June. It is the plan of Brother Hatcher to pursue courses in Philosophy and Psychology in the University of Ohio during the summer.

The new term is to open Tuesday September 1st. Teachers and students anticipate the work of another year with enthusiasm and joy. The Academy course is to have one year added to it and the State Certificate Course will be given special attention in the Normal. The tendency throughout the school is toward the vocational. The aim is to put the youth in more sympathetic relations with his environment. New emphasis will be placed on Bible study, the plan being to make this department a special feature of the work.

Stronger work has never been done in the history of the school and its outlook was never brighter. 1914

PROGRAM.

Wednesday 10 o'clock a. m., May 13,

Processional March

Invocation..... Rev. Geo. H. Farley.
"I would That My Love"..... Mendelssohn.

Misses Allen and Cook.

Vocational Education..... Mary Letta P'Simer.
Kentucky as a Factor in our National Life..... Roy Ernest Holbrook.

"Old Hundred" Paraphrase..... Rive King.
Myrtle Adkins.

The Panama Canal..... Geneva D. Lyttleton.
The Awakened Social Conscience..... Pearl Robinson.
The Hunter's Horn..... Kornatzki.

Mrs. Homer L. Wilson.

Class Address..... Rev. I. J. Spencer.
"Venetienne"..... Godard.

Miss Nell Miller.

Presentation of Diplomas..... J. Wesley Hatcher.
Quartet—"Good-bye"..... Tosti.

Misses. Allen and Cook, Messrs Blair.

May 14, 1914.

The faculty met in the library at 9:00 a.m., all members present.

The first matter presented was the calendar for the session of 1914-15.

Motion that school open Sep. 1, 1914, close for the Christmas holidays, Dec. 23, the three last days being devoted to examinations; that the second term open Jan. 4, 1915 and close May 13. Carried.

On motion it was decided that all tuition should be paid at the beginning of the current month, no deduction made except in case of two weeks consecutive unavoidable absence.

Prof. Holbrook moved that a tuition committee, of which Mr. Katcher be chairman, be appointed. Carried. The business of this committee being to consider the claims of certain resident students, who seem unable to pay ~~ment~~ and similar matters.

Motion that a ^{registration} fee of \$1.25 be required of all dormitory students, paid on entrance. Carried.

Miss Jones reported a considerable sum still due on text-books for English classes. It was moved and seconded that no books be given to students until paid for, except in cases where the Tuition Committee decides otherwise. Carried.

The work of the Literary Societies was discussed, it was the opinion of all teachers that their work should be made more purely "literary" and that programs be more strictly supervised by the Councilors. Motion that a committee be appointed to report on a Constitution for the Societies Sep. 7. Carried.

Much time was devoted to the ever-recurring question of social privileges.

On motion it was decided to allow the young men students to escort the girls to Church every Sunday night, to see them back to Hodson Grahm Chorus, no distinction in this privilege being made between the dormitory and town students; no parlor privilege; no campus privilege in the afternoon or evening.

Some discussion then ensued as to the teachers' part in the chapel exercises. Moved that each Friday morning be given to some Department work. Carried. Taken by consent that the first Friday in September, the program be a musical one. Moved and seconded that during the ensuing session we use the letter system of grading. (A, 95, B, 85, C, 75, D, 65.) Carried.

Taken by consent that we continue the State Certificate course.

The Faculty was in session from 9-12 A.M. then adjourned till 1 P.M., and continued till 4:30 P.M. The work having been disposed of, Mr. Halbrook in behalf of the faculty expressed to Mr. Hatcher our grateful appreciation of his support and co-operation during the year. In response Mr. Hatcher said that the loyalty and the teachers and their entirely harmonious relation to each other and to him had been a help and inspiration in his work.

He also stated that a message of greeting and congratulation on the successful year's work had come to the faculty and graduating class from the National Board.

Then the meeting was adjourned.

Pattie M. Cromwell.

Secy.

May 13, 1914.

The Scholarship Committee met in the library at 10:00 A.M. to select the scholarship students for the next year. The applications were numerous: The following were passed upon, selected:

- 1 Fannie Frye: conditioned on continued support of U. D. C.
- 2 Elizabeth Hutchinson.
- 3 Letha Maddip, 9 Erna White
- 4 Laura Maynard 10 Osa Osborne
- 5 Ethel Osborne 11 Lotta Stewart (Lefington)
- 6 Alice Ruhl 12 Ethel Hamilton
- 7 Sarah Wilson 13. Jorda Smart, Conditioned
- 8 Fannie Taylor

In case any of the above failed to enter, the following are to be chosen:

Miss Scagg, Lucille Tapier and Hattie Easterly.

- 1. Fred Strother { 8 J. L. Matherly 1st Term
- 2. Martin Sweeney { 8 Vance Zorn 2nd " "
- 3. Will Walsh 9 Roscoe Messer
- 4. Earl Godman 10 Matt Riggs
- 5. Blaine Lewis Substitutes:
- 6. Thomas Keator J. G. Hebb
- 7. Carl Honaker Charles McKinley.

It was decided to have some form of contract or agreement, by which the duties and conditions of scholarship should be more clearly defined.

Meeting Adjourned.

Bettie M. Emmell.

October 8, 1914.

The faculty met in the first meeting of the year in the Library at 3:45 P.M. all members present. Minutes of the meeting of May 14 read and approved. Committee on Constitution for Literary Societies submitted a form. The article on membership fees having been omitted, motion was made that such an article be added, and the Constitution was then adopted.

Statement was made by Mr. Hatcher that the failure of the Philos to call a meeting this term was due chiefly to certain conditions of membership, and there ensued a discussion as to the best means of meeting this need.

On motion it was agreed that Mr. Hatcher and the Counsellors of the two societies (yet to be appointed) should take up the matter.

After some further informal discussion of school matters, the meeting adjourned.

B. M. Gromwell, Secy.

Oct. 23, 1914.

The faculty met this afternoon at 3:35 to consider a matter of discipline. Mr. Katcher stated that Miss Condit had reported to him that Miss Lelia Sallee had been guilty of carrying on a secret correspondence with a former student of the school, the letters having been conveyed to her by Mrs. M^{rs} Kinley to whom they were always addressed. The offense was aggravated by the fact that such correspondence had, at their parents' request, been especially forbidden, and that she had promised not to write to the young man. Motion was made, after some discussion of the matter, that the Miss Sallee and Mrs. M^{rs} Kinley be allowed to remain in school on probation. Carried.

The meeting thus adjourned.
 Bettie M. Brownell, Secy.

December 16.

The teachers met in the library; all present but Mrs. Holbrooke. Mr. Katcher announced that Monday Tuesday and Wednesday forenoon would be devoted to Examinations.

Motion that each morning we have a brief chapel service at 8:30 instead of the usual hour. Carried. Mrs. Katcher stated that Mrs. Colfax and Miss Seitz would be asked to take charge of the Philos. The term's enrollment was given as about 150. Meeting interrupted by the alarm of fire in the neighborhood.

Bettie M. Brownell,
 Secy.