

Good Sports Year For O. U. Braves

They Continued Loop Sweep Started in 1938

Let 1940 bring what it may, it will be no better to Ottawa University than 1939, and as for that, 1938. The Braves won all three major sports titles of the Kansas conference in the year just closed. In 1938 they won two and tied for a third. That makes five crowns and a tie for a sixth in competition for six crowns. So Coach Dick Godlove and his proteges cannot do any better in 1940, even though they would like to tie it.

The long record started in the winter of 1938 when the Braves finished in a three-way tie with McPherson and Kansas Wesleyan for the basketball championship. From there on out they swept everything before them, taking in stride the track and football championships of 1938 and all three sports in 1939.

In that two-year span the grid-iron machine set up a record never before equaled by an Ottawa team. They won 14 games, losing only one, and tying one. The 1938 squad was one of the 18 undefeated and untied teams in the nation. The team last fall was almost as successful, losing a 6 to 7 contest to Chadron, Neb., Teachers and playing a scoreless tie with Kansas Wesleyan. When the chips were down for the championship, the warriors of Godlove came through with plenty to spare by dealing a crushing 17 to 0 defeat to its ancient rival, Baker University.

The basketball team of 1939 was also highly successful. Playing a tough schedule with several wonder teams in the conference, the Ottawans won 15 out of 19 games and took the circuit championship with plenty to spare. After making an auspicious start, they slumped a bit to lose a brace of games to Bethany and Kansas Wesleyan. The Braves, however, had championship stuff in their veins and staged a comeback which carried them to sizeable victories over the Swedes and Coyotes later in the season. Wesleyan came to Ottawa with a highly touted fire-wagon offense that reached a peak on the local court. But that peak was not good enough, for the Braves piled up a 76 to 59 victory over the westerners in a game which stamped them as the class of the conference.

The track teams of 1938 and 1939 were also high-calibre. In 1938 the squad won the conference title with hardly a struggle, but last year College of Emporia bounced up and threatened to win the contest. In fact most of the way through the meet the Presbies held a wide margin, but in the final events the Braves put on the pressure and came out with enough points to win by a scant six points.

The two years have been golden ones, literally, for the Ottawa athletes. It is the custom that members of the championship squad in any one sport be presented gold charms for their prowess on court

or field. Consequently any number of Braves are wearing gold footballs, basketballs and track shoes around the campus. Four of the present crop of athletes are wearing all three. These are Lyman Morgan and Walter Reames of Leavenworth, Jack Ramsey of Kansas City, Kas., and Omer Brenton of Kansas City, Mo.

It is no mystery, then, that wrist watches are not so popular on the Ottawa campus, because

gold footballs and the like are much more visible when hanging on a watch chain. In a way the Braves are like the Germans. The Nazis cherish their pocket battle-ships and the Ottawans take to their pocket watches.

January 1, 1940

O. U. PLENTY COLD AGAINST WESLEYAN

Salina Wesleyan was plenty hot when it defeated Ottawa University 41 to 26 at Salina Wednesday night by a score of 41 to 26, but that doesn't tell the whole story. The Braves were as cold as the Coyotes were hot. They had difficulty getting the ball down the court and were completely off their shooting. They could neither hit long ones nor short ones consistently. They moved up a bit stronger at the finish but it was too late. The Coyotes played a rushing game and were hitting all sorts of shots.

The Ottawans, trying to forget the Salina game, have set about working in preparation for the tilt with Baker in junior high gym here next Wednesday night.

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O. U. Faculty Wives

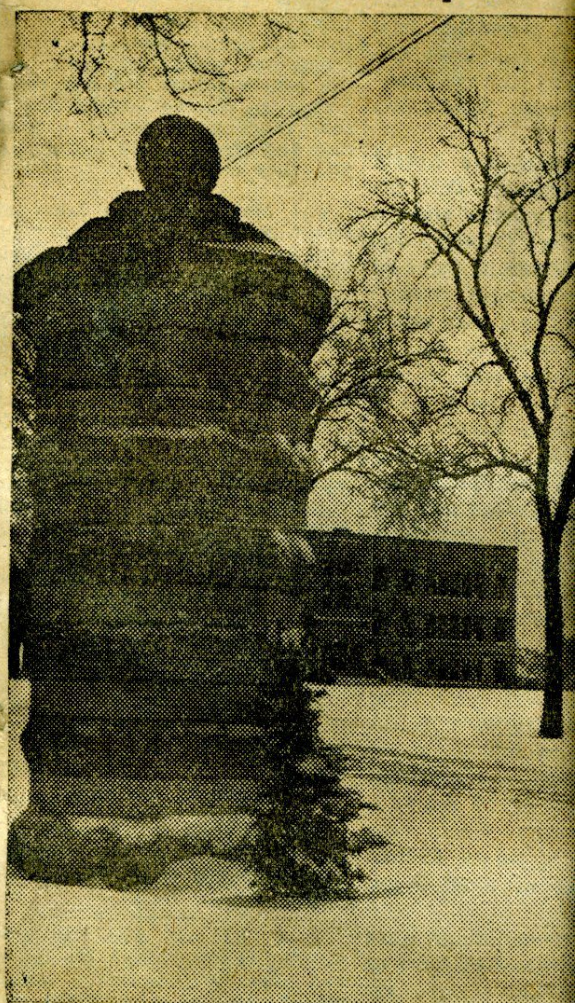
The Ottawa University Faculty Wives Club spent yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harold Conrad, with Mrs. W. A. Elliott as assisting hostess. A short business session was in charge of Mrs. Andrew Martin. The program on Kansas included: "Kansas From Exile" by Richard J. Walsh, Mrs. Karl Bergstresser; "Kansas Scene" by May Frink Converse, Mrs. Elliott; "First Story" and "Second Story" by Ronald Finney, Mrs. E. A. Reiff and "The Cook Who Couldn't Quit" by Zana Henderson, Mrs. F. A. Trump. Refreshments were served. Others present were: Mrs. C. A. Buchanan, Mrs. Paul Barker, Mrs. Robert Bundy, Mrs. Edgar Kerr, Mrs. A. P. Wikgren, Mrs. Maud Goll, Mrs. Adrian Tieleman and Mrs. Stuart M. Pady. The next meeting is to be at the Sigma Iota Psi house February 8.

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At Toronto Meeting.—Jordan Cole, former Ottawan and graduate of Ottawa University, was one of two students who represented Colgate-Rochester divinity school of Rochester, N. Y., at the student volunteer movement gathering in Toronto, Canada, during the holiday season. Cole is taking the regular 3-year course leading to a bachelor of divinity degree.

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Snow Blankets O. U. Campus



Picture taken by I
University. This picture of Ward science hall half hidden by one of the big stone pillars at the west entrance was taken by Lamar Phillips, 941 South Main.

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O. U. Musicians On WREN Station

Begin Weekly Program Series Monday Evening

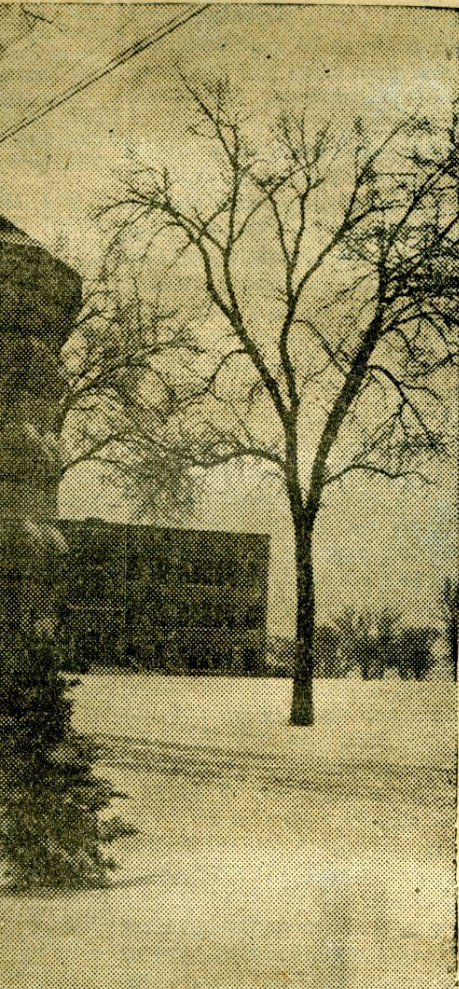
Ottawa University musicians, beginning Monday evening at 6:45, will be heard in a series of eight weekly radio programs over station WREN, Lawrence. The string ensemble, directed by Prof. Everett Fetter and made up of 15 players, will be the featured organization and will be assisted occasionally by soloists at the college. Each of the programs will be 15 minutes long and will be broadcast from the studio in Lawrence.

The brief concerts have been arranged through cooperation with the station management. For several years the string ensemble at O. U. has been gaining

in popularity and in many towns in programs presented carefully blended of semi-popular music. Officials believe that a large number of people want to hear this type of music. Mr. Fetter believes that his musicians afford his musicians an opportunity to gain especially in radio. The players have been months on the program presented, he anticipates. In the orchestra, Ethel Mae Schobach, Wilma H. Crites, Annette Hayes, Lillian Bayliff, Waddell, Mary Alice Harpole, Marjorie Lloyd James, Malcolm, program for the future will include: "Gandhi" by Leo, "Sarabande" by Ravel and "Mala cuona."

January 1

O. U. Campus



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months on the programs to be
presented, he anticipates no dif-
ficulties. In the organization are:
Ethel Mae Schober, Blen Bet-
schart, Wilma Happy, Jeanne
Crites, Annette Haworth, Jeanne
Ward, Lillian Bayles, Maryalice
Hayes, Byrmina Brooks, Betty
Waddel, Mary Alice Martin, Dar-
lene Harpold, Marjorie Kindall,
Lloyd James, Malcolm Scott. The
program for the first broadcast
will include: "Ganotte" by Bach,
"Sarabande" by Leclair, "Pavane"
by Ravel and "Malaquena" by Le-
cuona.

January 13/40

O. U. Swamped K. C. Junior College

Opens Loop Season With Bethany Thursday Night

An Ottawa University basket-
ball team, working smoothly and
with confidence, crushed Kansas
City, Kas., junior college at Kan-
sas City Saturday, 53 to 10 in its
final game of the Rockhurst pre-
season tournament. Furthermore,
Omer Brenton set a scoring record
for the meet by caging 11 baskets
and a pair of free throws for a 24-
point total. The team looked bet-
ter than at any time in the tour-
ney.

Thursday evening at 7:30, Ot-
tawa will open its Kansas confer-
ence season by meeting Bethany
here in the junior high gym. The
Swedes boast the tallest team in
the league and are ranked now
as one of the favorites. They will
come to Ottawa with a veteran
team featuring such tall stars as
Peterson, Gri ve and Boeve, all of
whom are just about as tall as
Brenton. The rangy Bethany team
will recall to many the great
Lindsborg team of a few years ago
when big Carl Larson, star bas-
keteeer of the midwest, sent many
an O. U. team to defeat.

K. C. K. jocos used a zone de-
fense against Ottawa. That was a
mistake because the locals passed
in and out to shoot long ones or to
take open stabs at the basket. All
the while Brenton kept tipping
and slipping in shot after shot to
the dismay of the junior colle-
gians.

Several new Braves played much
better than previously in the tour-
nament. ry Smith, freshman
guard, played well and showed up
with guarding feats which may
make him a valuable player in the
forthcoming conference season.
Burton Cowan, new junior for-
ward, after a couple of wobbly
games, came through with steady
playing.

The reliable veterans, Lyman
Morgan and Jack Ramsey, also
aided in the victory with clever
and hard driving floorwork. The
team will rest today and work to-
morrow and Wednesday.

The box score:

Ottawa (53)	G	FT	F
Morgan, f.	1	0	2
Cowan, f.	5	1	3
Brenton, c.	11	2	3
Ramsey, g.	2	0	1
Smith, g.	1	0	2
Beaman, g.	2	1	0
Gibbons, g.	1	0	0
Schupbach, g.	0	0	0
Schlick, g.	0	1	1
Sarchet g.	1	0	2
Totals	24	5	14

K. C. K. J. C. (19)	G	FT	F
Dillum, f.	3	1	1
Parhomek, f.	0	0	3
Brown, c.	0	0	0
Meade, g.	1	0	3
Gooding, g.	2	2	3
Maxwell, g.	1	0	0
McMurry, g.	1	0	0
J. Miller, g.	0	0	0
G. Miller, g.	0	0	0
Totals	8	3	10

Officials—Warden and O'Keefe.

January 1, 1940

Braves to Face Fast Baker Five

Figure Game Here Wed- nesday Night Tight Affair

KANSAS CONF. STANDINGS

	W.	L.	Pct.	P.	O.
Kansas Wesleyan	2	0	1.000	94	59
Bethany	3	1	.750	167	133
Ottawa	2	1	.667	122	97
Baker	1	1	.500	65	63
Bethel	1	2	.333	93	99
McPherson	0	2	.000	44	89
Coll. of Emporia.....	0	2	.000	59	104

GAMES THIS WEEK

Wednesday—Baker at Ottawa.
Friday—Sterling at Bethany.
Saturday—McPherson at C. of E.

Those two ancient enemies, Ba-
ker and Ottawa universities, whose
rivalry is almost as intense as that
of Germany and England, will call
off their truce and resume active
warfare on junior high court at
7:30 Wednesday night.

Dope does not mean much in
this game, but whatever there is of
it this year seems to be fairly well
balanced. Baker has a few more
experienced men upon whom to
rely and has five veterans to start:
Sears, forward; Hersch, center;
Poppe, forward; Self, guard; and



Bob Schupbach . . Ottawa U. guard

Seymour, guard. The latter boy is
bound to be good, for he got his
early training at O. U. The fact
that he went to Baker this year
and stepped right into the first
five proves that he has something
in the way of finesse.

One way the dope points to Ot-
tawa. Bethany lost to Ottawa and
then beat Baker on the succeed-
ing night. But experts would ad-
mit that Ottawa was a bit hot on
the evening they took the Swedes
into camp. Early season showings
made by the Wildcats, however,
indicate that they have not yet
turned on their full mid-season
form to match their skill of last
year, and more than likely they'll
be priming to be up to their par
Wednesday.

Not only is the game a battle between two long-time foes, but it is a Kansas conference contest, the winning of which will mean much to either team. O. U. has lost one conference contest. While the victor of Wednesday night's game will not necessarily be out of the running, it is sure that it will be definitely handicapped in the present loop race.

Tickets for the game are on sale at the Wassmer clothing store and the North American coffee shop.

January 15/40

Baker Hopes Jinx Will Get Braves

Locals Will Ignore That In Game Tomorrow Night

Take a maximum amount of tradition and ancient rivalry, add a flavor of an important Kansas conference contest, pour in a bucketful of evenly matched dope and you have the right recipe for the Baker University-Ottawa University basketball game to be played tomorrow night at 7:30 on the junior high court. You will not need to do much stirring as the 10 players will take care of that part of the recipe.

There seems to be some effort on the part of Baker chefs to revive the ancient jinx which once upon a time held forth over every Baker-Ottawa contest. However, it seems that the Braves cooked the jinx and ate it several years ago and ever since have been rolling over the Wildcat hoax especially in the last two football games. And last year the two teams split even on the basketball court.

Something tells the Braves that jinxes will have little to do with victory tomorrow night. They recognize in the Baker lineup a lot of power that might smother them. Self is not only a good guard but has a dead-eye for the basket. And Seymour, the other guard, is a battler who can also score. The two forwards Poppe and Sears, are a pair of hot-shots. Sears is the better shot of the two but probably is not quite as smooth and clever as Poppe, one of the neat ball handlers of the conference. Hersch, tall center, has averaged about 10 to 15 points per game this season and is apt to be a hot-shooting specimen tomorrow night.

The Braves themselves have poured on several good practice sessions since returning from the western trip on which they split even in two games. Coach Dick Godlove hopes to have more scoring punch developed.

Jan 16/40

O. U. Faculty Dinner

Ottawa University faculty members held their monthly dinner last evening at the home of Prof. and Mrs. Everett Fetter. After the dinner the evening was spent informally. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bowers were guests. The committee in charge was: Mrs. Maude Goll, Mrs. A. V. Pershing, Mr. and Mrs. Fetter, Dr. Evan Reiff and Dr. Johannes Schneider.

Jan 17/40

Baker Jinx on Trial At Ottawa Wednesday

Baldwin, Kan., Jan. 15.—(Special)—Will the Baker University Wildcat quintet be able to pull the traditional jinx from the Orange mystical kit in the Baker-Ottawa basketball game Wednesday night at Ottawa? That is one of the big questions in Kansas Conference sportdom this week.

Dope favors the Braves, because they won from Bethany, while Baker lost. Too, they piled up an overwhelming score against McPherson, and the Wildcats nosed out a win.

Notwithstanding the dope in the past five years the Wildcats have won nine of the ten games played.

Two years ago when the Braves were co-champions of the conference each team of the circuit was defeated twice by Ottawa but the Wildcats won from them on both the Baker and Ottawa courts.

Coach Emil Liston reports improved play by his gang since the return of Self and Sears, both of whom were incapacitated immediately after the holidays.

In the Baker-Ottawa game, Wednesday night, it is quite conclusive that the defeated team will be out of the championship running as each has already dropped one game.

J.D.C. Jan. 16/40

Braves All Primed To Take Wildcats

Jinx or Dope Don't Count In Court Game Tonight

Coach Emil Liston, the plotter and schemer from way back, will bring his bunch of Baker University Wildcats to Ottawa tonight and at 7:30 will turn them loose against the O. U. Braves. It is not something new, but it is something which all the basketball fans like; so it will be no wonder if the populace turns out in good numbers to the junior high court.

Openly Liston, the listener, believes that his Wildcats are the underdogs, if Wildcats can be that, but secretly and only to a couple of hundred close friends he thinks his boys have a good deal more finesse and ability than the Ottawa Braves.

"The game is the thing," said the Braves themselves and refused to be confused by dope, jinx or statements. "Baker may beat us, but if it does it will be because the Wildcats play a better ball game," said the Braves. So tonight the local boys will put Jack Ramsey, Larry Smith, Omer Brenton, Lyman Morgan and Burton Cowan on the court against Baker's Poppe, Seymour, Hersch, Sears and Self and find out just which team is the better—at least for tonight.

The game will start promptly at 7:30, according to Coach Dick Godlove of the Braves. Seats are not reserved, but the coach advises fans to get their tickets at North American coffee shop or Wassmer clothing store before going to the game. They will avoid waiting in line at the door.

Jan 17/40

Braves Won From Fighting Wildcats

Brenton and Teammates Too Tough for Visitors

A consistent Ottawa University basketball team, playing before a capacity house which braved the arctic night, beat a gallant Baker University team last night on the junior high court, 45 to 33.

Failure to stop Omer Brenton, tall Ottawa center, spelled defeat for the Wildcats. Brenton tipped and looped in shots from all angles to collect a total of 22 points. Coach Emil Liston sent in three Baker centers, George Hersch, John Arnold and Corlis DeLarm, but none of them could handle the big fellow.

Ottawa made its bid for the game in the second quarter. Up to that time it was a closely-fought affair with neither team having a decided advantage. Leading by the slim margin of 17 to 16 late in the first half, the Braves set to work in the last five minutes. They gave Brenton chance after chance for short shots or tip-ins and he came through with three buckets and Willard Beaman got a free shot to give the Ottawans a 24 to 16 lead at the half.

The first quarter was a battle, the Wildcats giving stubborn resistance. Brenton opened the game with a tip-in shot and Jack Ramsey dropped in a pair of free tosses to give Ottawa a 4-point lead in the first two minutes of play. But Bob Sears counted for Baker, and Brenton once more looped one through. Quincy Seymour went in for a set-up, but Brenton again gave Ottawa an 8 to 4 lead. Spencer Self and Sears came through with shots to tie the score and then Seymour dropped in a free toss to let the Wildcats lead, 9 to 8. The Braves on baskets, Lyman Morgan, Brenton and Beaman, then built up a 15-9 lead. Baker came back to cut this down before the Ottawans put on crushing pressure to build up their half-time lead.

The last half was not so fast as ball games go. The Wildcats were doing some close guarding and making quite a few fouls in doing so. The Ottawans capitalized on this situation by making free shots good while holding the hapless Wildcats away from the basket. Seymour, who showed up brilliantly in the first half, was guarded by Bob Schupbach who held him scoreless, took the ball away from him several times and kept him from working into the offense. It was the Ottawa redhead's best night of the season. Seymour, who formerly played with O. U., was a target for good natured chiding on the part of Ottawa fans, who cheered his miscues and moaned at his good plays.

Ottawa's final brilliance came in the last quarter when the Ottawa guards passed in to Brenton several times. Under the basket with only DeLarm guarding him, the big Ottawan took his time and looped in three beautiful shots. After that, Coach Dick Godlove sent in the reserves.

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Brenton, c.
Beaman, c.
Weinheimer, c.
Ramsey, g.
Wilson, g.
Smith, g.
Anderson, g.
Howbert, g.
Schupbach, g.

Totals

Baker (33)
Poppe, f.
Douglas, f.
Starmer, f.
Sears, f.
Malone, c.
Hersch, c.
Arnold, c.
DeLarm, c.
Seymour, g.
Kramer, g.
Hodges, f.
Self, g.
Gordon, g.

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Larry Smith, freshman guard, had a busy night in guarding Baker's slick Kenneth Poppe. He did a good job of it and this Wildcat got only one goal off him but made another after he went out. The Ottawa guard also did a good job of rebounding. The crowd likes him, for he is big and steady in his play.

In the last half, the Ottawa fans took up the chant, "Where's the Baker jinx? Where's the Baker jinx?" Baker had advertised that it was depending on the jinx to get a victory. O. U. students thought this a good poke and so reminded Baker of the fact at a time when the Wildcats were trailing by 18 points.

Ottawa's next game is with College of Emporia in junior high gym, a week from tonight.

Last night's box score:

Ottawa (45)	G	FT	P
Morgan, f.	1	4	3
Sarchet, f.	0	0	0
Cowan, f. g.	0	0	1
Brenton, c.	10	2	3
Beaman, c.	1	4	1
Weinheimer, c.	0	0	0
Ramsey, g.	0	2	0
Wilson, g.	0	0	0
Smith, g.	2	1	2
Anderson, g.	0	0	0
Howbert, g.	0	0	0
Schubach, g.	1	2	0
Totals	15	15	10

Baker (33)	G	FT	P
Poppe, f.	2	0	4
Douglas, f.	0	2	2
Starmer, f.	0	1	0
Sears, f.	4	0	4
Malone, c.	0	0	0
Hersch, c.	0	0	0
Arnold, c.	0	1	0
DeLarm, c.	0	0	0
Seymour, g.	2	2	1
Kramer, g.	1	0	2
Hodges, f.	1	1	1
Self, g.	1	0	1
Gordon, g.	2	0	1
Totals	13	7	16

Officials—Cecil Peterson, Washburn, and Gene Kemper, Lake Forest.

Jan. 18/40

THAT BAKER JINX—WHERE WAS HE?

"Where's that Baker jinx? Where's that Baker jinx?" chanted the Ottawa fans at the Baker-Ottawa game last night. The Braves, who later won the game, 45 to 33, were then leading by 18 points. The fans thought this funny, since the Baker press notices had advertised widely that the Wildcats were depending on the famous jinx to whip the Braves. Rumors were that the jinx got lost in the blizzard. Still others think he was there, but moved over to the Ottawa side.

Jan 18/40

Exams. At O. U.—It's a gloomy week at Ottawa University. Final examinations for the first semester began today and will continue through Friday. The schedule calls for tests at 8, 1 and 4 o'clock. Registration for the second semester will begin early next week and classes will start on Wednesday.

January 22/40

Over WREN Again.—The Ottawa University string ensemble, directed by Prof. Everett Fetter, tonight at 6:45 will give the second of a series of eight concerts over radio station WREN at Lawrence.

Jan. 22/40

Ottawa U. Against College of Emporia

Wesleyan Also Will See Action This Week

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Kas. Wesleyan	2	0	1.000	94	59
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Bethel	1	2	.333	93	99
McPherson	1	3	.250	110	154
Coll. of Emporia	0	3	.000	87	142

GAMES THIS WEEK

Tuesday—Kansas Wesleyan vs. College of Emporia.

Thursday—College of Emporia vs. Ottawa; Kansas Wesleyan vs. Bethel.

Ottawa University Braves return to the basketball court this week and will meet College of Emporia Presbies at junior high school at 7:30, Thursday night. After a slow start the Emporians have been gaining speed and experience and might be in a position to give Ottawa a heavy battle. Anyway, records of the past several years show that the Braves have never tossed the Presbies off lightly. Last year, a crippled Emporia team came to Ottawa and came within an ace of knocking the locals clear out of the Kansas conference championship race. Only a rally in the last few minutes saved them.

The return to form of Bob Schubach was the signal for general rejoicing by the Ottawans. He is a boy with plenty of stuff but has been off his game all season, a fact which was a handicap to the Braves. When Baker's Seymour was starting off to a high-scoring night in the recent game, Coach Dick Godlove sent Schubach into the battle with instructions to guard Seymour. And that is just what the red-head did. The Wildcat never got a point after that as Schubach stuck to him like a bloodhound, intercepting passes and setting the Ottawa offense into action for scores several times. He connected for a basket himself, too, to add to his comeback.

"Steady" Smith might well be the title for the big Ottawa freshman guard who was a bulwark on defense against Baker and was constantly an offensive threat. He got two buckets on two of the most pleasing plays of the evening. Once he shot a long one from out beyond the free throw line in center and the ball hit the ring and bounced high in the air. It came down and bounced crazily on the back of the support while the fans went into a nervous frenzy. There was a huge sigh of relief when it rolled cautiously into the basket for another pair of points. The other neat play was later in the game. Lyman Morgan, ace floor

director and ball handler, came down the court with only one Baker man between him and the goal. Smith came racing in on the other side and Morgan, rather than take a chance of having his shot blocked, sent a slick bounce-pass to Smith who scored easily.

Jan. 22/40

Emporia Looms As Tough Foe

Game Against Wesleyan Show Presbies' Strength

The Ottawa University Braves are buckling down to practice today in order to get set for the surprising College of Emporia Presbies whom they meet Thursday night at 7:30 on junior high court here. The Emporians made a surprising showing against the Coyotes of Kansas Wesleyan last night, playing them on even terms in the first half and losing finally in the last half, 37 to 51. Ottawa lost to Wesleyan two weeks ago, 26 to 41.

Dope from games played against the same foe on the same court indicates that the two teams are now about even. It all means that the Emporians, who had a slow start, are reaching a mid-season peak and may give the Braves all sorts of opposition Thursday night. Things were not supposed to work out that way, but you have to take them as they are.

Coach Dick Godlove is hopeful that Burton Cowan will come through with a good game against



Burton Cowan

the Emporians. Cowan came to Ottawa from Fort Scott junior college. At times he has shown flashes of being a valuable man in the offensive and defensive tactics of the Braves, but at other times he has failed to be sure of himself. He has been coming along recently and may develop into a late season standby.

Tickets for the game are on sale at the Wassmer clothing store and North American coffee shop.

Jan. 23/40

To Face C. of E. On an Upsurge

Braves Expect a Hard Game Tomorrow Night

Ottawa University Bravess will swing into action tomorrow night at 7:30 on junior high court for their only performance of the week. The opposition will be College of Emporia Presbies. A rising enthusiasm on the Emporia club plus the fact that the Braves have been hampered this week by final examinations will probably mean a close game.

These two teams always have battles. No fan can possibly forget the thrilling 33 to 30 game last year which the Ottawans took from the Presbies by virtue of a rally at the last minute. Trailing, 18 to 25, with seven minutes to go, the Braves stormed their way to the basket, took a lead and then drove off a desperate C. of E. counter attack. It was the most breath-taking game of the season.

Coach Dick Godlove thought that game was too close for comfort, but was glad to get it and will be pleased to win tomorrow night by an even closer score. Since the Presbyterians are on the upsurge



Jack Ramsey

right now they may come to Ottawa with a lot of fire in the right places to produce speed.

To offset this possible advantage, the Braves this week have been working on a balanced offense. Godlove hopes to spring his two forwards and two guards if C. of E. tries to bottle up Brenton who scored heavily against Baker last week. Willard Beaman, Lyman Mrgan, Jack Ramsey, Larry Smith and Burton Cowan are all ripe for a big scoring night and anyone of that group might come through. And that is just what the Ottawa mentor is hoping for. To have someone besides Brenton lead the scoring will be a whole-some thing for Ottawa's future.

Jan. 24/40

MANY BAPTISTS GO TO TOPEKA

A big delegation of Baptists of Ottawa and vicinity was in Topeka today to attend a one-day conference to be addressed by nationally known denominational leaders. Twenty-one members of the Ottawa University choir will sing tonight under direction of Prof. Edgar D. Kerr. Ottawa First Baptist church was represented by about 25 members.

Jan. 24/40

Braves Primed For Hard Tilt

Expect a Hard Game From C. of E. Tonight

Another hurdle in the Kansas conference basketball race will be in the path of the Ottawa University Braves when they meet the College of Emporia Presbies on junior high court at 7:30 tonight. If the game follows the pattern of the one between the two teams here last year, it will be a thriller. Ottawa nosed out Emporia, 33-30.

Ottawa must win to stay in the running for the championship. Technically, a loss would not put the Braves out, but it would so hamper their chances would be slim. Coach Dick Godlove said that he had no new tricks to pull out of the bag. He hopes that his team will play a steady brand of ball against the Emporians who are coming up in the basketball world.

More than likely, Willard Beaman will open against C. of E. in a forward spot opposite Lyman Morgan. At center will be the towering Omer Brenton. Larry Smith and Jack Ramsey or Bob Schupbach will be the starting guards.

The junior high gym is unlike many other gyms in at least one respect. It is by no means a barn, and is heated perfectly, even in zero weather. Fans present at the Baker game last week, the temperature below zero outside, were if anything a bit too warm as they

watched the game. That is a tribute to the building designers and to the janitors of the school. Incidentally, there is not a basketball court in the state from which it is easier to watch a game than the one in Ottawa.

Jan. 25/40

Martin to Explain O. U. Personnel Plan

Lions Sponsor Business Men's Dinner Monday

The personnel plan at Ottawa University will be given an airing Monday night at a dinner to which business men and their wives have been invited. The meeting, which is to be held at the Country Club at 6:30, is being sponsored by the Lions club.

Members of the Rotary club, the Kiwanis club, directors of the Chamber of Commerce and other business men are invited, according to Floyd Shormann, president of the Lions club. Reservations should be called to Harry Justus at the Country Club.

The university this year began the new plan of counseling, vocational guidance, and placement. The entire system is not yet functioning but each week some progress is being. Various parts of it have aroused interest on the part of townspeople. For that reason the Lions club felt that it would be a good idea to sponsor a meeting at which the system could be explained. President Martin agreed to talk about the plan and answer any questions which those present might wish to ask.

Jan. 26/40

O. U. Students in A Speech Contest

Pi Kappa Delta, debate and speech organization at Ottawa University, will sponsor an inter-house extemporaneous speech contest next week. Preliminaries will be held Monday evening at 7:30 in the university auditorium and the finals will be Thursday morning in the regular chapel period.

Each of the eight housing groups will enter one or two representatives. One hour before the contest begins, they will be assigned a subject on the general topic, "Vocations". At the end of the hour, they will start talking, not all at the same time, and the judges will pick the winners.

Those already entered are: Phi Kappa Chi—Wendy Kindrick and Miriam Kliever; Sigma Iota Psi—Virginia Ready; Sigma Delta Pi—Joe Weber and Robert Frohning; Pi Theta Chi—Jane Reinhart; Sigma Tau Delta—Don Geiser. Others are expected to enter before the deadline on Monday.

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Helping Students To Find Goals

Dr. Martin Explains Personnel Plan at Dinner

Charging that the college student is still bound by mechanical requirements and obsolete forms by which the ritual of traditional education is carried on, President Andrew B. Martin of Ottawa University, speaking before a meeting of local business men and their wives at the Country club last evening, described a plan whereby students at O. U. will be given increased individual attention.

Members of the Kiwanis and Rotary clubs were guests of the Lions club at the meeting. Song leaders of the respective clubs, Earl Ridge, Rotary; G. D. Weilepp, Kiwanis, and C. O. Banta, Lions, lead the group in singing. Special music included two duets, "Because You're You," and "Who Are We To Say," by Miss Miriam Kinderdick and Raymond Gray of Ottawa University, and solos "Carmena" by Miss Kinderdick and "Let All My Life Be Music," by Mr. Gray. Approximately 100 people attended the meeting.

"The superstition still prevails that the fulfilling of a number of course requirements, credits, academic hours and all the rest of it will somehow confer an education," said Dr. Martin. "It is not so much a question of how much the student really knows about mathematics but what courses has he had and how many hours stand to his credit on the books. The bookkeeping has become more important than the state of the student's mind. Modern educational practice needs a baptism of reality which will cause it to be more concerned with what the student really learns, with the desirable changes which are actually taking place in his attitudes, tastes, and insights than with defending a system by which to record what really has not taken place."

In order to overcome some of these weaknesses, a new personnel plan is being put into effect at O. U. "Its purpose," explained Dr. Martin, "is to help the student to self-discovery and to give intelligent guidance regarding his college course, his personal problems and his vocational choice. Guidance could be done effectively during pre-college years. It should help the student determine whether he should go to college or not and what college he should go to. If this were done seriously and impartially by modern methods there would probably be fewer young people in college but those who would arrive on the college campus would have some knowledge as to where they were going and some serious purpose to pursue."

"The present student population arrives under the pressure of recruiting and promotion devices. Popular opinion demands that colleges show an increase every year or bear the stigma of failure. As a result young people are brought to college who should

never have come. They drift through the first year or two and then drop out. When colleges have the courage to stress the quality rather than quantity and are willing to put away the hypocrisy of the present methods then college education can rapidly become a much more effective enterprise."

Through the new guidance plan at Ottawa, Dr. Martin hopes that the students will be given more individual direction. He said, "Even the sincere and qualified student needs guidance. The college should help him discover where he actually is and aid him to progress toward his goal according to his interests and abilities. Too often the college is so busy with its routine activities that it allows the worthy student to drift aimlessly along, confirms him in his drifting and turns him out without a goal in life but with academic blessing upon his head. This is an educational crime."

Dr. Martin spoke frankly about the age-old conflict between cultural and vocational education saying, "The liberal arts college must overcome the antithesis which has grown up between culture and work. It is all very well to say that the main thing in education is to teach young people how to live a life and not how to make a living. This is a false statement because every person has to do both and he should be taught how to do both in perfect harmony with the values of each. The student needs cultural training more than ever in these days of narrow specialization and materialistic motives. But he needs also all the information and guidance he can get regarding as important a part of life as his vocation. The liberal arts college may not give vocational education, but it can and should give vocational guidance."

To accomplish objectives of individual guidance, President Martin is not relying on chance. A system of counseling whereby the student will be aided in solving his academic, personal and vocational problems is being instituted. It will take time for the play to be put into effect, but certain phases of the program are already in action. Every student at the university this year has a counselor to whom he may go to talk over various problems. This has already aided many students. Vocational guidance has also helped many students to find their vocational interests and abilities. The placement service of the university is being expanded to give aid to students who wish to go into commercial or industrial firms. Heretofore, it has helped only those who went into teaching.

WON FIRST ROUND IN SPEECH CONTEST

Mary Keene, Sigma Iota Psi, Wendy Kindrick, Phi Kappa Phi, Jane Reinhart, Pi Theta Chi, and Robert Froning, Sigma Delta Pi, won the preliminary round of the Ottawa University inter-club extemporaneous speaking contest, held last night at the university auditorium, and earned the right to participate in the finals which are to be held Thursday morning at the regular college chapel service.

O. U. Expects Battle

Braves Will Meet Bulldogs Here Thursday Night

Kansas Conference Standings

	W.	L.	Pct.	P.	O.
Kas. Wesleyan	4	0	1.000	220	14
Bethany	4	1	.800	204	161
Ottawa	4	1	.800	216	149
Baker	1	2	.333	98	108
Bethel	1	3	.250	145	174
McPherson	1	3	.250	110	154
Coll. of Emporia	0	5	.000	143	242

At the start of the present basketball season in the Kansas conference, McPherson College was one of the hopeful teams in the circuit. Their squad is made up of several, not just a few, rangy and experienced players as fans will see when the Bulldogs invade Ottawa for a crack at the O. U. Braves next Thursday night. And on top of that experience, the McPherson possibilities were expanded greatly with the addition of Schubert, the most sought after goal shooter who came out of a western Kansas high school last year. The Bulldogs definitely were a team to watch.

Something, however, happened or did not happen, as you wish, and the McPhersonites failed to come up to early season expectations. In recent days, though, they have been putting some of that potential ability together and have been making better showing right along. Last week they turned in an impressive and warning victory over College of Emporia.

Ottawa defeated the Bulldogs early in January by a decisive margin, principally by as brilliant a first half as an Ottawa team ever staged. But in the second half the tall boys of McPherson moved out and played on more nearly even terms with the Braves. After that game, a group of officials and coaches wondered what would happen if that group of Bulldogs caught the spirit of the game and came through with as many buckets as their combined sheltered ability would permit. They used more of their possible stuff against C. of E. and without question they will give Ottawa more of a battle than they did in McPherson.

The high scoring Wesleyan Coyotes of Salina will test the ability of the Bulldogs tonight. Wesleyan will invade Bethany Friday night.

up and down the court with speed, guards closely and throws the ball at the hoop from all angles. He is a rough-and-tumble fellow who puts plenty of action into his nights on the court.

AIR PROGRAM ON O. U. TEAMS

E. C. Quigley, sports official, will dedicate his program over radio station WIBW tonight to Ottawa University. It begins at 9:30 and will contain a summary of O. U. sports activities.

Quigley is well known to Ottawa fans as he formerly refereed many basketball and football games here.

Braves Ready For McPherson

Godlove Polishing O. U. Attack

Ottawa University Braves will once more take up their Kansas conference basketball war tomorrow night at 7:30 on junior high court against McPherson College Bulldogs.

The O. U. attack will probably be smoother than it was against C. of E. Coach Dick Godlove got



Lyman Morgan, senior forward on the O. U. team, is still due for a big night from the scoring angle and there is a good chance that he will come to life with it in tow against McPherson.

on the boys for messing up so many scoring opportunities and the chances are that his proteges will be more expert in their handling of the ball. Last week bad passing on fast breaks cost the locals many goals and Godlove was not at all happy. So the boys have been working considerably this week on fundamentals.

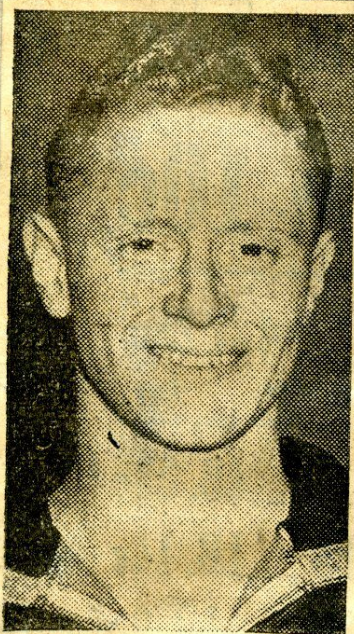
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Braves Crippled For McPherson Game

Beaman May Be Too Ill to Play

Ottawa University Braves move into their second month of Kansas conference basketball play tonight by meeting McPherson College at 7:30 on junior high court. In the first month of play the Ottawans have met five of the six league teams, Bethel being the only one not yet to face them. They rest in a tie for second place with Bethany College. Kansas Wesleyan holds the top with nary a defeat, while the Swedes and Braves each have a black mark in the "lost" column.

Coach Dick Godlove, after the disaster of the semester, summoned Walter Reames back to the squad, and then found that his troubles increased because Willard Beaman will probably be too ill to



Bob Schupbach ... O. U. guard

play. Charles Eichman of Williamsburg entered school at the beginning of the semester and is working out with the squad.

McPherson cagers will arrive in Ottawa this afternoon. Fans will probably not see a more potential group of basketeers on any court this season. They have height and speed enough to cause a lot of teams plenty of worry. This morning Coach Godlove said that he did not look for an easy game even though the Braves hold one victory over Coach Pierce Astle's team. Schubert, Brust, Wana-maker, Myer, Robertson, McGill, Voshell, Young, Reinecker and Jones all are better than average looking basketball players.

McPherson holds a victory over College of Emporia and has played close games with almost every other team in the circuit. They, like Ottawa, failed to hold the fast stepping Coyotes in check.

Feb. 1/40

Mary Keen Wins Speech Contest

Finals Held This Morning in Chapel

Mary Keen, a sophomore of the Sigma Iota Psi housing club, won the Ottawa University extemporaneous speaking contest. The finals were held this morning in the regular chapel period with four contestants, who won their way to the championship round after participating in the preliminaries Monday evening, giving speeches on the general topic of vocations. Miss Keen's subject was "The WPA—A Solution to the Student's Vocational Problem."

Robert Froning, who spoke on "Preparing for A Job in A Liberal Arts College", was second. He is a member of Sigma Delta Pi. Other contestants were: Wendy Kindrick and Jane Reinhart. Miss Keene will be awarded a walnut gavel and her club will be given a dictionary. Froning will receive a cherry gavel.

The contestants were given their definite subjects one hour before the chapel time and had that much time in which to prepare their speeches.

Everett Sugarbaker was chairman of the arrangements committee and Sarabeth King, winner of the contest a year ago, presided at the contest. The student body cast ballots to pick the winners.

Feb. 1/40

O. U. PROFESSOR GETS COPY OF BOOK

Dr. Allen P. Wikgren, registrar at Ottawa University, has received a copy of "The Elizabeth Day McCormick Apocalypse" from Prof. H. R. Willoughby of the University of Chicago in appreciation of his collaboration upon the preparation of the project several years ago. The publication, which sells for \$25, contains an interesting manuscript of the Greek apocalypse purchased by Miss McCormick in a Paris bookshop and given to the University of Chicago for study. Dr. Wikgren's work was the explanation of some of the 69 illuminated miniatures which illustrate the manuscript. Acknowledgment of his assistance appears in the preface.

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To Teachers' Meeting. — Prof. and Mrs. Andrian Tieleman and Claude Webb of Ottawa University are in Topeka today attending the annual meeting of Kansas Teacher Placement Bureau association.

Feb. 2/40

Braves V McPherson

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In another and-tumble battle, Ottawa University Braves, 41-34, the junior high team, had little difficulty well ahead of only once shot basketball. The quarter when love's men did clicking attack.

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Braves Wallop McPherson Team

Lead All the Way in Rough and Tumble Game

In another one of those rough-and-tumble basketball games, Ottawa University defeated McPherson College, 42 to 19 last night on the junior high court. The Braves had little difficulty in keeping well ahead of their opponents, but only once showed flashes of good basketball. That was in the third quarter when Coach Dick Godlove's men displayed a smoothly clicking attack.

Only the capable long distance firing of Bob Brust in the last quarter kept the Bulldogs from an almost total rout in the last half. This big blond dropped in three long ones swishing through the net right at the end of the game.

Fans thought the Braves were in for a tough evening during the first few minutes of the game. For a time everyone, including Coach Godlove, thought Referee Ab Hinshaw was not going to show up, but just about the time that the coaches had decided to use Chet Davenport, in blew Mr. Hinshaw. It was something about the roads that held him up. But being as it was the second time in a row he had been late, everyone was used to it.

Well, when the game did get started, the Bulldogs were a determined lot. After Morgan had made a free toss, they shook Myer loose for a shot to take the lead for the only few seconds they held it during the entire evening. But Beaman scored for Ottawa by sneaking away from his guard to go in for a setup. The Ottawans kept pounding away and despite erratic play gradually pulled away from the hard-trying McPherson team. They led 20 to 10 at the half.

In the second half, Ottawa came through with better basketball. They pulled one play right after another and went down several times with fast breaks to score against the Bulldogs. Lyman Morgan, who led the Ottawa counting with 10 points, started off by dropping in a dinger from a spot in the deep corner. Then he got another from the free throw line after some clever passing. Larry Smith came through with a pair of nice shots, one a dead-eye long toss. That made four buckets for him during the course of the evening. Jack Ramsey and Bob Schupbach also came along to get points during the rally. One of Jack's was a sizzler. He came across center from the side and made a one-handed hook shot that caromed off the backboard and swished the net.

The Bulldogs alternated in using an all-over-the-court defense with a more orthodox system in the back court. They had little luck with either one. The close pressing defensive tactics which they used most of the time probably caused the game to be rough.

The box score:

Ottawa (42)	G	FT	F
Morgan, f.	4	2	1
Beaman, f.	2	1	1
Cowan, f.	0	0	0
Brenton, c.	4	1	2
Reames, c.	0	0	0
Schupbach, g.	1	1	1
Ramsey, g.	3	1	3
Smith, g.	4	0	0
Howbert, g.	0	0	0
Anderson, g.	0	0	0
Totals	18	6	8

McPherson (19)

Robertson, f.	1	2	1
Young, f.	0	0	0
McGill, f.	0	1	3
Jones, f.	1	0	1
Myer, c.	1	0	1
Wanamaker, c.	0	0	0
Brust, g.	3	1	0
Vetter, g.	0	0	0
Schubert, g.	1	1	2
Voshell, g.	0	0	0
Totals	7	5	8

Referee—Ab Hinshaw, Emporia.

Feb. 2/40

Braves Take Time Out From Exams for Game; Play Presbys Tonight

Ottawa, Kan., Jan. 24.—(Special)—College of Emporia will invade Ottawa Thursday night for a Kansas Conference game with Ottawa University Braves. The recent showing made by Emporia against Wesleyan on the Salina court, coupled with the fact that the Presbys are traditionally tough for the Braves to handle, points to a close game. The Ottawans have also been engaged in the cheerful practice of final examinations this week, so may not be in the finest fettle come game time.

In the few practice sessions crowded in between exams, the Braves have been working on a balanced scoring attack to offset any bottling-up tactics which the Presbys may try on the Ottawa scoring ace, Omer Brenton. Coach Dick Godlove is hopeful that Willard Beaman, Lyman Morgan and Burton Cowan will come thru with sizeable scoring totals. Return to form by Bob Schupbach, red-headed Brave guard, has bolstered the stock of Ottawa and may be a deciding factor in the game with Emporia. Off all season, Schupbach hit a stride last week against Baker.

J. D. C. Jan 25/40

COACH GODLOVE HAD A BUSY NIGHT

Coach Dick Godlove of Ottawa University likes variety when he referees basketball games.

January 12, when he worked the game between Ottawa and Lawrence, he called only six fouls, but last night it was a different story. Coach Godlove officiated a rough-and-tumble battle between Haskell and Conception college and called a total of 40 fouls, 22 on Haskell and 18 on Conception.

Oh yes, Haskell won 33 to 29.

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Ottawa Coasts Past C. of E. Quint 49-19

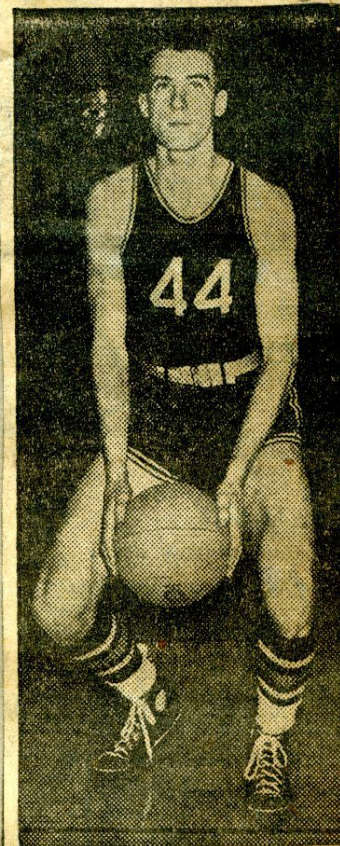
Ottawa, Kan., Jan. 25.—(Special)—A methodical Ottawa University basketball team shelled the basket to beat College of Emporia, 49 to 19, here tonight. In the first quarter the Braves were cold, but Omer Brenton and Burton Cowan swung into action to boost the Braves total near the end of the half and continue in the last half. Brenton counted sixteen points and Cowan thirteen. The determined Presbys staged rallies several times but never got close to the flying Braves. Charles Ashcraft made nine points for Emporia. The box score:

Ottawa, 49	G	FT	F	Emporia, 19	G	FT	F
Morgan, f.	3	1	2	McGoy, f.	0	0	0
Beaman, f.	1	1	1	Barker, f.	0	0	0
Cowan, f.	6	1	2	Watkins, f.	1	1	1
Wilson, f.	0	1	0	Hau, f.	0	0	1
Brenton, c.	7	2	3	Ashcraft, c.	4	1	3
Ramsey, g.	1	0	2	Doty, c.	0	3	0
Schupbach, g.	3	0	1	Cravens, g.	0	0	1
Smith, g.	0	1	0	Browning, g.	1	0	1
Weinheimer, f.	0	0	0	Sharpe, g.	1	0	3
Sarchel, f.	0	0	0	Kasper, g.	0	0	3
Anderson, g.	0	0	0				
Totals	21	7	11	Totals	7	5	13

Referee: Ab Hinshaw (Emporia).

J. D. C. Jan. 26/40

On Court Against McPherson Tonight



Burton Cowan, forward, Uniontown, will be one of the mainstays in the Ottawa University basketball lineup Thursday night when the Braves play McPherson College in Ottawa.

J. D. C. Feb. 2/40

Ottawa Five Buries McPherson, 42 to 19

Ottawa, Kan., Feb. 1.—(Special) — Keeping up a steady barrage at the basket, Ottawa University defeated McPherson College in a rough and tumble basketball game here tonight 42 to 19. The Braves took an early lead and were never headed even tho McPherson made a game stand in the first quarter. Ottawa played a ragged ball game in the first half, but came thru with goals by Omer Brenton and Larry Smith to gain a 20 to 10 halftime lead. In the third quarter, Smith combined forces with Lyman Morgan, high point man of the game, to lead an Ottawa onslaught that was the slickest part of the game. Bob Brust poked three long shots thru in the last few minutes to save his team from a rout. The box:

Ottawa, 42				McPherson, 19			
	G	Ft	F		G	Ft	F
Morgan, f	4	2	1	Robertson, f	1	2	1
Beaman, f	2	1	1	Young, f	0	0	0
Cowan, f	0	0	0	McGill, f	0	1	3
Brenton, c	4	1	2	Jones, f	1	0	1
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Schubach, g	1	1	1	Wanamaker, c	0	0	0
Ramsey, g	3	1	3	Brust, g	3	1	0
Smith, g	4	0	0	Vetter, g	0	0	0
Anderson, g	0	0	0	Schubert, g	1	1	2
				Vosheil, g	0	0	0
Totals	18	6	8	Totals	7	5	8

Referee: Ab Hinshaw, Emporia.
Score at half: Ottawa, 20; McPherson, 10.

Feb. 2, 1940 T.O.C.

In K. C. Recital. — Edgar D. Kerr of the Ottawa University School of Music will be heard in a student recital at the Kansas City Conservatory of Music next Friday evening. Mr. Kerr is studying under Stanley Deacon at the conservatory each Saturday. His work will apply on a master's degree.

Feb. 5/40

Fourth Broadcast. — In the fourth broadcast of its series over station WREN, Lawrence, tonight, the Ottawa University string ensemble directed by Everett Fetter will play "Gavotte" and "Air" by Bach, "Summertime," from "Porgy and Bess" by Gershwin and "Evening Song" by Carver. The 15-minute concert will begin 6:45.

Feb. 5/40

Annual Formal

A valentine theme "Sweethearts of Phi Kappa Chi" with setting of red hearts and white lace, featured the annual mid-season formal held last night at the Nelson Hotel by Phi Kappa Chi housing group of Charlton Cottage Ottawa University. The tables where dinner was served at 7 o'clock were arranged in horseshoe shape, and decorated with large silvered valentines with white lace and red ribbon bows, and red candles in hurricane glasses. Between each couple there was a miniature replica of the centerpiece serving as a place card. The evening was spent dancing.

The hostesses were: Misses Edith Wilson, Joy Balyeat, Maxine Clark, Esther Wilson, Beth Gault, Helene Turner, Lois Goodloe, Mitzie Kleiwer, Ruth Wedepohl, Edith Moffatt, Pearl Woolfolk, Dorothy Coad, Hazel Adams, Marjorie Kindall, Wendy Kindrick, Darlene Harpold, Sarabeth King, Wilma Condell, Jeanne Abels, Gracie Erion, Kay Krehbiel, Lela Burd, Betty Jo Krehbiel, Elma Ives, Ruth Slopansky, Florence Noble, Miriam Kinderdick, Eleanor Edwards, Jean Crites, Mary Alice Martin, Ann Kindrick and Peggy McCartney and Mrs. Malcolm Scott.

The invited guest list included: Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Martin, Miss Minnie Maude Macaulay, Dr. Johannes Schneider, Miss Lulu Brown, Mrs. Maude Goll, Messrs. Jack Wisehart, Loren Noren, Russell Burnett, Willard Beaman, Donald Geiser, Charles Bradley, Bill Jones, Neal Baxter, Bert Newland, Harley Gover, Tommy Allan, Henry Constant, Lyman Morgan, Ad Miller, Bernard Wendt, Herbert Hoover, Bob Schubach, Bill Bowers, Jerry Bechtle, Victor Graper, Marion Goswick, Winston Kinderdick, David Haworth, Jim McHenry, Bob Lefferson, Dorbin Gardner, Donald Ganstrom, Warren Capron, Raymond Schmidt, Lloyd James, Dean Kirkwood, Jack Jefferies, Don Frye, Maurice Jackson and Malcolm Scott.

Feb. 3/40

Bethel Rates High In Court Loop

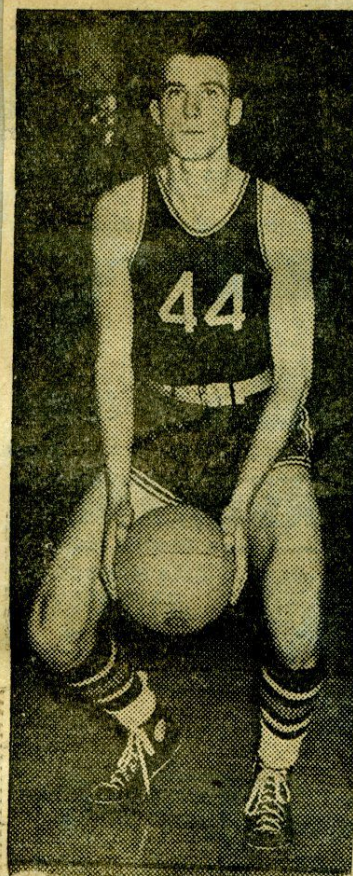
Likely to Give O. U. a Hard Game Here

Bethel College, one of the better teams in the Kansas conference, will come to Ottawa Friday for an important game with the second place O. U. Braves. Right now Bethel is rated on a par with Bethany and Ottawa, the two teams which are putting on a dog fight for second place. Bethel, trailing right behind, could easily bowl over either one.

Roy Hoff, Graymaroon forward, will be remembered as one of the best ends during the football season last fall. He was the one who

caught the first half touchdown pass against O. U. His accurate shooting has labeled him as one of the best in the league.

The Ottawa squad, fortunately,



Burton Cowan ... O. U. forward

will be in better shape than it was last week. Willard Beaman, forward, is back in form once more. Boys with minor colds are recovered.

Bethel uses a style of attack similar to that of Ottawa. They fast-break quite often with Hoff on the throwing end, but much of the time they are content to work methodically for a chance at the goal. They play a man-to-man defense and do a fair job of it as a rule. Otto Unruh, their coach, is one of the best in the league, so his boys know the fundamentals and handle the ball well.

Newton, home of Bethel College, is often called the center of the basketball world, because it is the home of a famous high school team. There are a number of great basketball players of high calibre in that territory and Bethel seems to get its share.

Feb. 6/40

To Northwestern Next.—David Laury, Ottawa University senior, has been admitted to the Northwestern University school of medicine, at Chicago. Laury, a major student in biology, was in one of the first groups to be accepted to the school. He will complete his work at O. U. this spring and will enter Northwestern next fall.

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Hoff to Lead Bethel Team

Visitors Would Displace O. U. From Second

Roy Hoff will lead the Bethel College cagers against Ottawa University Friday night at the junior high gym in an attempt to displace the flying Braves from second place in the Kansas conference. The Graymaroons still have a chance to finish high in the race, and much of their hopes will be pinned on Hoff. He is the man to be depended on. Once last year he came through with 23 points against Kansas Wesleyan.

Hoff is in second place in the list of leading scorers of the conference. He trails Bob Hunt of Wesleyan who has the amazing average of 16.5 points per game. Junior Shaw of Wesleyan is in third place and Omer Brenton of Ottawa in fourth.

The first 10 in order:

Hunt, Kansas Wesleyan.....	16.5
Hoff, Bethel	12.3
Shaw, Kansas Wesleyan.....	11.7
Brenton, Ottawa	10.3
Norburg, Bethany	9.3
McGill, McPherson	8.3
Beaman, Ottawa	7.5
Roussell, Bethel	7.3
Robertson, McPherson	7
Hersh, Baker	6.8

Hoff will not be alone on the court, Bethel will have the aid of several other men who are quite capable. For instance there is Catlin, the center who held Omer Brenton down to a single point a year ago at Newton. He matches the big Brave in height and is tough on defense. Another Bethelite, Roussell, is just as tall; so Brenton's tipping may not be so much of a factor, especially with those two men backed up in defense of their basket.

Tickets for the game are on sale at the Wassmer clothing store and the North American coffee shop.

Feb. 7/40

View Bethel as Tough Opponent

Newton Boys Fast and Good Basket Shooters

Out of the heart of the basketball capital, Newton, will come Bethel College Graymaroons to battle with the Ottawa University Braves on the junior high court tomorrow night at 7:30. Last year in two games, Ottawa won, but in each case the victory was by the narrow margin of a few points. And there is no reason to believe that there will be an easier road for the Ottawans tomorrow night.

In addition to high scoring Roy Hoff and the tall-as-Brenton boys, Roussell and Catlin, there are a couple of guards on the



Larry Smith ... O. U. guard

Bethel team who are mighty clever. They are Chet Unruh and Bob Galle. Chet was the swivel-hipped quarterback who tore off so many long runs in Kansas conference football games last year and Bob was a member of that famous Galle-to-Galle forward passing combination.

Coach Dick Godlove announced that all of his men are in fine shape and ready to work. Yesterday the Braves were sent through a long practice session with considerable emphasis being placed on rebound work. The centers and guards were given a long drill in this part of the defense procedure. Larry Smith, big freshman guard from the Wyandotte high team of last year, continues to show the kind of improvement which may one day turn him into one of the conference greats.

After the rebounding drill, the boys scrimmaged for about an hour with the first string pouring in a large number of baskets. The practice session ended when Walter Reames accidentally made a basket and surprised everyone so much that Godlove called an end to the workout.

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O. U. Faculty Wives

Mrs. Paul Barker and Mrs. R. M. Godlove were hostesses yesterday afternoon for the O. U. Faculty Wives Club, at the Barker home. A business session was conducted by Mrs. A. B. Martin, and the remainder of the time was spent with games. Mrs. A. P. Wikgren assisted in serving refreshments. Miss Mina Kerr of Orion, Ill., a guest and the following other members were present: Mrs. Karl Bergstresser, Mrs. H. E. Conrad, Mrs. Edgar Kerr, Mrs. Evan Reiff, Mrs. J. J. Bay, Mrs. Maud Goll and Mrs. S. M. Pady. The club is to be entertained by Mrs. C. A. Buchanan and Mrs. Pady March 14.

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Braves Will Face Bethel Here Friday

Graymaroons Have a Flashy Scoring Star

KANSAS CONF. STANDINGS

	W.	L.	Pct.	P.	O.
Kansas Wesleyan	7	0	1.000	395	269
Ottawa	5	1	.833	258	168
Bethany	4	2	.667	240	209
Baker	2	2	.500	140	137
Bethel	2	3	.400	175	201
McPherson	1	6	.143	214	323
Coll. of Emporia	0	7	.000	199	314

GAMES THIS WEEK

Monday — McPherson at Baker; Bethel at Kansas Wesleyan.
Tuesday — McPherson at St. Benedict's; College of Emporia at Bethel.
Wednesday — Sterling at McPherson.
Thursday — Baker at Kansas Wesleyan; Sterling at College of Emporia.
Friday — Baker at Bethany; Bethel at Ottawa.

Ottawa University Braves have completed half of their Kansas conference schedule, but the next half will not be so easy as the first half dozen games. Four of the six are away from home and the two here are against formidable opponents, Bethel next Friday and Kansas Wesleyan February 16. By no stretch of the imagination can those two melees be called setups. Away from home Ottawa plays Bethel, Baker, Bethany and College of Emporia. The latter, while resting at the bottom of the ladder right now, is always tough on the home court.

The only team that the Braves have not yet faced is Bethel. The Graymaroons, who come here next Friday, have several brilliant victories to their credit including one over Drake University of the Missouri Valley conference. Their ace shooting star is Roy Hoff who piles up scores away up in the twenties. He counted 23 points once last year against Wesleyan. He is dynamite, so this week Coach Dick Godlove is setting up an elaborate type of defense to stop this medium sized Newtonite who tosses the ball from all angles. A fellow has to do that in order to make 33 points in one evening.

A cheerful note hit the squad last week. Bob Wilson is not ineligible as was previously announced. This freshman boy has been coming along fast and was just about to a point of development at which he might see considerable service when someone got the idea he was in scholastic hot water. But he is up and ready to play. His principal asset is speed, but he needs polishing in ball handling, and that is just what he is getting.

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Two Tall Players On Bethel Squad

Brenton Will Have Competition Tonight

Ottawa University Braves will try to keep a pair of tall Bethel College gentlemen, Rousell and Catlin, from getting all the rebounds tonight beginning at 7:30 on junior high court. These two boys are tall, just about the height of Omer Brenton and they are both good. Catlin held Brenton to a single point in a game last season. So last night Coach Dick Godlove was "moanin' low" and pulling at whatever hair he has left. How to get those rebounds with two towers like Catlin and Rousell hanging around the bucket!

But that was not the only thing which caused doleful Godlove to wrinkle his brow. There is the fellow Roy Hoff, just about the best scorer in the Kansas conference. His record of 33 points made against Kansas Wesleyan last year in a non-conference game is some sort of a top mark in college circles. Hoff is second only to the remarkable Bob Hunt of Wesleyan in league scoring this season, but he has no natural advantage of height as does the Coyote player. He is medium tall and pumps his shots from close in, far out, or in between. He is undoubtedly the slickest scoring ace in the conference.

The much-worried Godlove will probably start Lyman Morgan and Willard Beaman at forwards, Brenton at center, and Bob Schupbach and Larry Smith at guards.

Gus Fish, former Emporia State star, will be the official.

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O. U. DEBATERS IN CONTESTS AT K. U.

Three Ottawa University debate teams, coached by Dr. Evan Reiff, went to Lawrence today to meet teams from Kansas University and William Jewell. Four rounds of decision debate on the Pi Kappa Delta question, "Isolation As United States Foreign Policy" are being conducted. Roland Nelson and Everett Sugarbaker, making up one team, take both the negative and affirmative sides of the question. Ann Kindrick and Jaunita compose the affirmative team, and Dorothy Coad and Nelda Budde the negative.

The Ottawa debaters are rounding into shape after a series of practice sessions. Last Saturday a group of 17 went to Kansas City Kansas Junior College and Emporia Teachers where they engaged in 20 practice debates. Dr. Reiff reports that the squad is unusually large this year, and that many of the beginners show promise of developing into excellent material.

Feb. 10/40

Smooth O. U. Team Swamps Bethel

Visitors No Match; Wesleyan Here Friday

A smoothly working Ottawa University basketball team last night on junior high court worked out a 52 to 24 Kansas conference victory over Bethel College. So many Ottawa plays clicked that the game held the attention of the spectators even though the Braves almost always held a decisive margin.

It is likely that the Ottawans have not worked so many plays in several games as they did last night. The screens which the locals used ran so cleanly at times that the fans began counting players, fearing that Ottawa might have six men on the court. Willard Beaman came through with several of these wide open shots off screens as did Larry Smith.

After Chet Unruh gave Bethel an early lead on a shot from the free throw line, Omer Brenton made the first of his 15 points and it was one of the most sensational of the evening. The referee called a jump ball at the free throw line. From that spot Brenton sent the ball in a long arch to drop neatly through the basket. That opened up the merry evening and it was not long until the Braves were piling up a lead. Brenton was uncontrollable in that first quarter. He got five baskets, but his shooting was matched to some extent by the Bethel center, Charles Rousell, who specializes in long shots. And definitely he is good at that sort of thing. During the evening he got 13 points.

In the second quarter Catlin and Rousell more or less solved the Brenton riddle, but just at that time Beaman and Jack Ramsey started to work shooting off screens. The Graymaroons tried time-outs and everything in their power to stop the Braves, but despite close guarding by all of them and good shooting by Rousell, the Ottawans pulled away to a 25 to 15 lead at the half.

Coming back after the half, Ottawa forged ahead after Ramsey and Rousell scored for their teams. The shot by the Bethel center, made after a minute of play, was the only Graymaroon shot excepting free throws in the first 13 minutes of play. That was how tight the Ottawa defense worked.

In that second half, the Graymaroons pressed the Ottawans closely and at times had an all-over-the-court defense. This was soup for the Braves and they ran their margin up quickly.

Roy Hoff, who was bottled up by Bob Schupbach and Larry Smith, played a great floor game despite the fact that he went without a basket. He directed the Newton team play and aided in working out screens whereby Rousell got away his long shots. As a matter of fact the Bethelites played a hard, clean game throughout the evening and never once let up though in the last half the Braves moved away to a comfortable margin.

Willard Beaman with his 14 points was only a step behind Omer Brenton with 15. Charles Rousell chalked up 13 for Bethel.

During the half-time intermission, the "O" club initiated several lettermen. The feature was a battle royal with the contestants being blindfolded. Their vicious swinging, usually missing, kept the crowd in an uproar.

Next week the Ottawans go to Emporia on Tuesday night and return to entertain the great Kansas Wesleyan team here on Friday.

Last night's box score:

Ottawa (52)	G	FT	F
Morgan, f.	0	1	2
Cowan, f.	0	1	0
Welsh, f.	0	0	0
Beaman, f.	6	2	0
Ramsey, f.	4	0	0
Wilson, f.	1	0	0
Brenton, c.	7	1	3
Reames, c.	0	0	0
Eichman, c.	0	0	0
Schupbach, g.	1	1	2
Smith, g.	3	1	1
Anderson, g.	0	1	0
Howbert, g.	0	0	0
Totals	22	8	8

Bethel (24)	G	FT	F
Hoff, f.	0	1	3
Galle, f.	0	0	0
Grove, f.	1	0	0
Rousell, c.	5	3	2
Horst, c.	0	0	2
Bartel, c.	0	0	1
Catlin, g.	1	1	3
Jantz, g.	0	0	1
Unruh, g.	2	1	1
Totals	9	6	13

Referee—Gus Fish, Emporia.

Feb. 10/40

Ottawa Hoopmen Coast Past Bethel 52 to 24

Ottawa, Kan., Feb. 9.—(Special)

A smart Ottawa University basketball team tonight scored a 52 to 24 Kansas Conference victory over Bethel College. The Braves played a cool game on defense, holding the Bethel ace, Roy Hoff, to a lone free throw. On offense the Ottawans came thru with their smoothest play of the season.

The game was featured by a scoring duel between Ottawa's tall Omer Brenton and Bethel's just-as-tall Charles Rousell. The Ottawan got his points on short pokes to gain a total of fifteen while the Graymaroon was chalking up thirteen on long tosses. Willard Beaman was right behind Brenton in the scoring column with fourteen points.

Bethel kept pace most of the first quarter, but began to trail as Brenton got hot. In the second quarter Jack Ramsey and Beaman came thru with points to add to the lead, giving Ottawa an advantage at the half, 25 to 15.

Ottawa, 52	G	FT	F	Bethel, 24	G	FT	F
Morgan, f.	0	1	2	Hoff, f.	0	1	3
Cowan, f.	0	1	0	Galle, f.	0	0	0
Welsh, f.	0	0	0	Grove, f.	1	0	0
Beaman, f.	6	2	0	Rousell, c.	5	3	2
Ramsey, f.	4	0	0	Horst, c.	0	0	2
Wilson, f.	1	0	0	Bartel, c.	0	0	1
Brenton, c.	7	1	3	Catlin, g.	1	1	3
Reames, c.	0	0	0	Jantz, g.	0	0	1
Eichman, c.	0	0	0	Unruh, g.	2	1	1
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Smith, g.	3	1	1				
Anderson, g.	0	1	0				
Howbert, g.	0	0	0				
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Coyotes to Take Hard Road Trip

Meet Baker Thursday and Ottawa Friday Night

KANSAS CONF. STANDINGS

	W.	L.	Pct.	P.	O.
Kas. Wesleyan	9	0	1.000	512	360
Ottawa	6	1	.857	310	192
Bethany	5	2	.714	275	243
Baker	3	4	.429	273	269
Bethel	3	5	.375	281	346
McPherson	1	7	.125	258	371
Coll. of Emporia	0	8	.000	228	346

GAMES THIS WEEK

Monday—Bethany at Kansas Wesleyan.

Tuesday—Ottawa at College of Em-

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Wednesday—McPherson at Bethel.
Thursday—Kansas Wesleyan at Baker.

Friday—Kansas Wesleyan at Ottawa;
College of Emporia at McPherson.
Saturday—Kansas Wesleyan at St. Benedict's.

Salina, Kas. (P)—Kansas Wesleyan opens its final week of the Kansas conference basketball campaign tonight with prospects at least even the Coyotes will storm into the throne room undefeated.

Bethany's powerful Swedes invade Salina tonight and a 3-game road trip gets under way Thursday at Baker university. Friday night the Coyotes mix with Ottawa, 1939 champions, with St. Benedict's their foe Saturday.

An Ottawa victory Friday night would give the Braves a chance to tie the Coyotes for the title but even such stars in Coach Dick Godlove's lineup as Omer Brenton and Lyman Morgan can't erase all the Wesleyan advantages.

Bob Hunt, Coyote pivot, is the league's leading scorer and his teammate Junior Shaw is near the top. Ottawa's only conference loss this season was the 41 to 26 licking absorbed at Salina.

The Braves are not expecting a snap at College of Emporia tomorrow night since the Presbies have improved since playing here. The O. U. squad will leave here in the late afternoon tomorrow. The game will start at 8 o'clock.

The showing made by the Braves in the Bethel game was pleasing to the fans. The Braves shot many perfect screens. The Kansas Wesleyan team uses a zone formation on defense. Against such a system screens and blocks are well nigh useless. The offense must resort to maneuvering in order to break through. The Braves expect to go into the Wesleyan game with strategy, hoping to find weaknesses in the Coyote setup.

Feb. 12/40

Won One Debate.—Ottawa University debaters who went to Lawrence for a quadrangular debate series with K. U., Washburn and William Jewell won one decision, the men winning their contest with Washburn. The O. U. representatives in the women's debates lost all decisions.

Feb. 12/40

Sunday Dinner

The girls of Ottawa University who are doing light housekeeping met together for Sunday dinner at the home of Miss Minnie Macaulay. Valentine nutcups and candies were the table decorations. Those present were: Misses Laurabel Hilderbrande, Hazel Supple, Louise Bridde, Nelda Bridde, Doris Carlson, Kathleen Powell, Evelyn Betschart, Helen Kadavy, Orpha Dell Welton, Virginia Holman, Mary Holman, Florence Lewman, Olive Brown, Avis German, Thelma Robbins and a guest Marian Rader.

Feb. 12/40

Kappa Tau Delta Party

The Kappa Tau Deltas of Ottawa University gave a valentine party Saturday night in the basement of the Federated church. Games in charge of Miss Vera Jackson provided the diversion. Refreshments of heart ice cream and mints and individual cakes, carrying out a red and white color scheme, were served. Miss Astrid Carlson was the general chairman in charge. Miss Byrene Messer was chairman of the refreshments committee, Miss Adeline Shinn of the decorations committee and Miss Alma Maude McWilliams of the invitations. Others present were: Misses Laurabel Hildebrand, Margaret Rounds, Mary Baxter, Laverne Smith, Orpha Dell Welton, Mildred Myers, Ruth Kinkaid, Velma Baskett, Marialice Hayes, Lenore Munden, Frances Warren, Estel Johnson, Sarabel Trail, Betty Woody, Olive Brown, Emma Mae Chandler, Marian Rader, Anna Mae Nemecheck, Evelyn Betschart, Pauline Rees and Virginia Richard; Mrs. Ralph Curby, Mrs. Raymond Lucas, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Stucker, Miss Minnie Maude Macaulay, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rounds; Messrs. Morgan Beach, Dick Hawthorth, Harold Wiberg, Don Pendergrast, Bruce Nemecheck, Frank Swift, Bob Lefferson, Bobby Norren, Warren Beaman, Melvin Sarchet, Roland Nelson, George Berlin, Dean Kirkwood, Marion Goswick, Russel Marsh, Dave McWilliams, Dale Chritchfield, Wayne Howbert, Harry Teel, Earl Lancaster, Kenneth Schubel, Adell Brecheisen, Paul Roten, Douglas Sutherland and Bill Jones.

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Madcap Wesleyan Here Friday Night

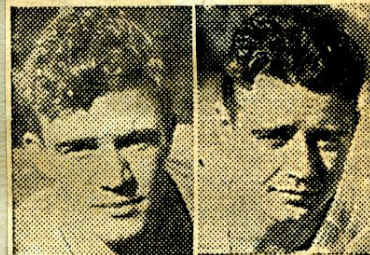
Braves Will Try to Stop Their "Fire Wagon" Play

Those madcap Kansas Wesleyan Coyotes, who come to Ottawa Friday night to turn their stormy fury loose on the O. U. Braves, last night disposed of Bethany in a deft fashion, 60 to 43. And the Swedes were rated as one of the best teams in the circuit. The Coyotes have now only to meet and

beat Baker and Ottawa for an undefeated record in the final Kansas conference standings.

To the circuit Wesleyan has brought an unusual style of basketball which is described very accurately as "fire wagon." That sums it up, because the Coyotes base their game on fast breaks, pass interceptions, back-court heckling and all sorts of wild, reckless play. Wherever the ball is, there you will see one to five Coyotes snipping away at whatever opponent has the ill fortune to have the sphere in his possession.

One of the big ideas in the Wesleyan system is to get the ball in



Lyman Morgan

Jack Ramsey

the back court. When one of the opposition gets it, a pair of Coyotes rush in on him and not only attempt to tie him up, but make a desperate effort to get the ball. Once they do get it, they lam out for the basket with any sort of wild, flailing shot, or a setup, and maybe two points is marked up. Then when the other team takes the ball out-of-bounds under the basket after the goal, those reckless Coyotes try to repeat their performance of ball stealing and goal shooting. And the deuce of it is that they often run up a string of three or four baskets in this unorthodox manner.

If a team does manage to get the ball up in offensive territory, and believe this writer that is no easy job, the Coyotes go into a zone defense. There are a pair of reasons for this. The zone is ideal for pass interception and fast breaking, and the personnel of the Wesleyan team is particularly adaptable to this style of defense. They are quick, active fellows with plenty of endurance.

As a matter of fact, the key to Wesleyan success probably is not the system being used. The team is good because the individual Coyotes are good. Big Bob Hunt, 6-foot, 8-inch center, is a great player with approximately ten or twelve years of high school, amateur and college experience. That makes for understanding his uncanny ability of consistently registering 20 points or more against almost every team he meets. Men like Junior Shaw, Enlon Jones and others are just as good, too, even though they do not have the towering height advantage of Hunt.

Tonight the Ottawans play College of Emporia at Emporia. They return and will spend two days of intensive work in preparation for the Coyote game. Tickets are on sale at Wassmer clothing store and North American coffee shop.

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