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Commencement Season Announcements, June, 1938

Wednesday, June 1 to Wednesday, June 15—WSTC CAMPUS CAMERA TREASURE HUNT

Tuesday, June 7—SENIOR CLASS DAY

Saturday, June 11—ANNUAL WOMEN'S LEAGUE JUNE BREAKFAST

Friday, June 17—PHYSICAL EDUCATION COACHING SCHOOL

10:00-12:00 A. M. Basketball—Mr. Read

1:00- 2:30 P. M. Baseball—Mr. Maher

2:30- 4:00 P. M. Track—Mr. Smith

4:00- 6:00 P. M. Football—Mr. Gary

6:00- 9:00 P. M. Banquet and open discussion concerning problems in Physical Education
Recreation.

Saturday, June 18—ALUMNI DAY

Coaching School, Continued

9:00-10:00 A. M. Conditioning and Athletic Training—Mr. J. A. MacDonald

10:00-12:00 A. M. Golf, Kalamazoo Country Club, 18 holes. Prizes offered for low scores.
Green fees \$1.00. Bring your equipment—Mr. Huff

Tennis—Mr. Householder

(Archery and other games may be enjoyed, if you please.)

12:00 M.—Lawn Luncheon and Alumni Reunion, On-Campus

2:30 P. M.—Alumni vs. Varsity Baseball Game, Athletic Field

5:00 P. M.—Group gatherings (time and place to be announced)

8:00-9:00 P. M.—The President's Hour

9:00 P. M.—Annual Alumni Party

Sunday, June 19—BACCALAUREATE

4:00 P. M.—Dr. Stanley Coors, First Methodist Church, Muskegon, Michigan, Speaker.

Monday, June 20—COMMENCEMENT

10:00 A. M.—Dr. Carl F. Wittke, Dean of Oberlin College, Oberlin Ohio, Speaker

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WSTC CAMPUS CAMERA HUNT

Prizes Offered

Alumni and Seniors are invited to participate in a Campus Treasure Hunt with the camera during the first fifteen days in June. Prizes are to be awarded for the best results obtained. Negatives and prints may be left in the Alumni Office for the attention of the judges any time on or before June 15. Announcement of results will be placed on the Alumni Bulletin Board for observation all day Saturday, June 18.

The following details are for the purpose of common understanding and guidance:

1. Black and white prints will be accepted from original negative areas with 5 x 7 inches as a maximum size.

2. Suggested subject materials are confined to campus scenes and may include landscape areas, walks, drives, trees, shrubs, paths, buildings, and groupings of buildings. Persons may be included, but they should not predominate in the area, unless it be an unusual group situation.

3. All negatives and prints submitted shall become the property of the WSTC Alumni Magazine. Recognition in the form of nominal prizes—\$5.00, \$3.00, \$2.00—for the first, second, and third choices, is offered. No limit is set on the number of pictures submitted.

It is hoped that many graduates and seniors will participate in this plan of familiarizing themselves and others with the beautiful places on the campus at Western State Teachers College.

ANNUAL ALUMNI PARTY

The women's gymnasium is the place of the Annual Alumni Party. From eight o'clock to nine, graduates of Western and their friends shall have had the opportunity of visiting with President Sangren and Mrs. Sangren. After that the party will be on and faculty members and alumni will find that the seniors have already arrived.

The "Julie" Wilson Orchestra will be present and furnish the music.

Alumni Day provides opportunities for—

1. Acquaintance, friendship renewals, and social visitation.
2. Exchanges of ideas with faculty members, former classmates, and members of the Senior Class.
3. Comparisons of achievements.
4. Exhibits of accomplishments.
5. Competition in skills.

Varsity- Alumni Baseball AT 2:30

A review of the memoranda of last year is enough to persuade us that more people saw the Alumni-Varsity baseball game than were ever present on an occasion of the kind before. The baseball game on Alumni Day between the varsity team and former members of it is surely one of the traditions of this campus. Year after year the boys come back, don their baseball attire, and go out there to win. A review of the scores over a period of years shows a variety of results, too. Able as is every Varsity team coming up, the Varsity does not always win. What will happen this year? You are invited to make arrangements to come and see. On the way to the game why not come early and attend the Lawn Luncheon and the Alumni Reunion at 12 o'clock.

THE PRESIDENT'S HOUR

A great portion of the second year has gone by since the inauguration of Dr. Paul V. Sangren as President of Western State Teachers College. It has been more than enough time to prove him a most worthy successor to our President-Emeritus, Mr. Waldo.

A portion of Alumni Day has been set aside and is being designated as the President's Hour. The alumni of Western State Teachers College and their friends are most cordially invited to be present from 8 to 9 o'clock Saturday evening, June 18, when President Sangren and Mrs. Sangren will be at home to them in the Women's League.

LAWN-LUNCHEON; ALUMNI REUNION

On-Campus

Preliminary planning for the luncheon this year proposes having it on-campus and out-of-doors if the weather will permit. Western's campus is growing in beauty all of the time and the committee feels that the alumni will be pleased to come back and see the many improvements which are being made. Eighteen hundred shrubs have been planted this spring, 150 evergreens consisting of many varieties have been set out, and much seeding has been done.

Of course, the equipment of the cafeteria will be the source of preparation. Should the weather be unfavorable, arrangements have been made to carry trays to the Rotunda and surrounding rooms. It is hoped, however, that one of the "rare" days in June will prevail, and that many may choose to go to accommodations set-up outside.

Miss Moore announces that 40c will be sufficient to take care of the serving which will include sandwiches, individual containers filled with salad, pickles, etc., etc. Of course, there will be coffee and choices of some cold beverages. Candy bars, frost bites, and ice cream cups may also be available.

It will greatly assist the committee in charge if they may know about how many to plan for, so tickets are being printed and are now available.

REPORT OF PROGRESS

Money for subscriptions to the Alumni Magazine is in almost every mail coming to the Alumni Office these days. Letters of commendation and congratulations are also coming. Many of them are from teacher training institutions in the United States as well as from Universities and other Colleges.

Three members of Miss Louise Steinway's tour to Europe this summer are WSTC Alumnae—Eula Pray, A. B., 1936; Jennie James, A. B., 1928; Roberta Haas, A.B., 1935.

1938 HOMECOMING DATE AT WSTC, OCTOBER 8

Occasion of New Union - Dormitory Building Dedication