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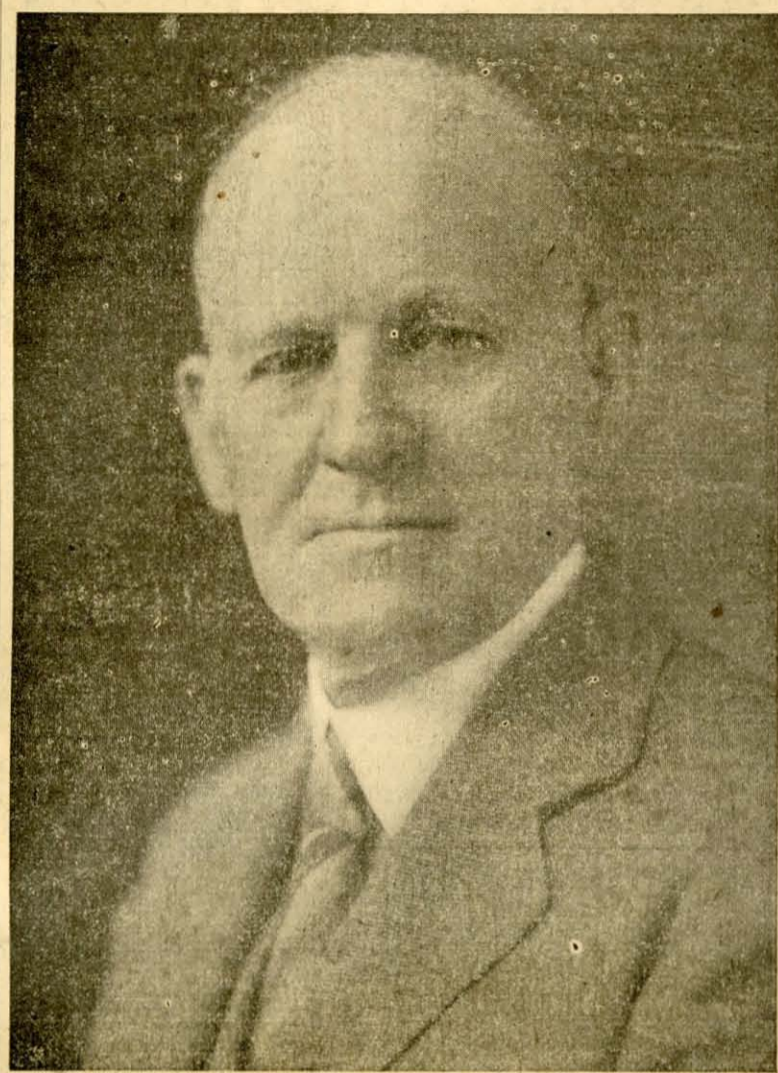
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Founder and President of Western Kentucky State Teachers College

Eventful Career of Western's President Comes to End Following Recent Injuries

Public and Private Funeral Services Will Be Held Tuesday With Interment In Fairview Cemetery



DR. HENRY HARDIN CHERRY

Dr. Henry Hardin Cherry, president of Western Kentucky Teachers College here since he organized the institution in 1907, died Sunday afternoon at his home on College Heights.

He had been in a serious condition for several days as a result of injuries he suffered in a fall three weeks ago.

Special chapel exercises were held at Western Teachers College this morning at 9:15.

The hymns, "My Faith Looks Up To Thee" and "Blest Be The Tie That Binds," and a scripture reading and prayer by Dr. R. T. Skinner of the First Baptist Church constituted the devotional program.

Short talks, touching on the life of the late Dr. H. H. Cherry were made by Dr. A. M. Stickle and W. J. Craig of the college faculty and Mrs. W. P. Drake and B. J. Borrone of Western's Board of Regents.

Funeral services for the late Dr. H. H. Cherry will be held in Van Meter Auditorium Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock. These services are public and will be in charge of Dr. Paul S. Powell, pastor of the State Street Methodist Church, of which Dr. Cherry was an active member.

Following this service the body will lie in state until 12 o'clock and will then be returned to the family residence where a private funeral will be held at three o'clock Tuesday afternoon. This service will also be conducted by Dr. Paul S. Powell. Hugh Johnson of Western's Music Department will contribute a violin solo, and interment will follow in Fairview Cemetery.

Henry Hardin Cherry was born on a farm nine miles from Bowling Green in Warren County, Kentucky, November 16, 1864, son of George W. and Frances Martha (Stahl) Cherry.

He was the seventh of nine brothers and all grew to manhood in the Hall's Chapel section, north of Bowling Green. Of those brothers, only Thomas Crittenden Cherry, for thirty-two years superintendent of schools in Bowling Green, survives.

On January 22, 1885, Henry Hardin Cherry walked to Bowling Green through eight inches of snow and entered the Southern Normal School. His association with the institution, therefore, continued longer than fifty-two years. His first teaching experience was in a penmanship school at Scottsville, followed by one at Gainesville. In 1891 H. H. Cherry was appointed to an instructorship in civics, from which dates the beginning of his keen interest in the affairs of statecraft. He was during the remainder of his life one of the state's most competent parliamentarians. In 1892, he succeeded to the presidency of the institution which was operated jointly by him and his brother, Thomas Crittenden, until the latter's withdrawal in 1905 to assume the superintendency of the Bowling Green City Schools. Professor J. R. Alexander of the original faculty remains on the staff of the college after a tenure of fifty-one years.

Under President Cherry's direction the school grew from an enrollment twenty-eight in 1892 to 4,061 in 1936. In 1899 the building burned, but within less than a year the present plant of the Bowling Green College of Commerce had been completed and occupied. The Normal School discontinued its status as a private institution in 1906 and became the Western Kentucky State Normal School. In 1911, the Normal moved to its present site on College Heights and under the guidance of President Cherry it developed into a college of national prominence and a

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BOY WASHED INTO SEWER

Police Squads Rush To Manholes But Unable To Rescue Boy

Atlanta, Aug. 2 (INS)—Slipping and falling into a flooded gutter during a rainstorm a boy identified as Herschel Rogers, 8, was washed into a storm sewer under Atlanta today.

Police squads rushed to manholes throughout the city in a effort to rescue the boy.

P. J. McCormack, Jr., working across the street, said he heard Herschel's playmates scream and the child disappeared before he could reach the scene.

Gov. Chandler Makes 'Plea To Voters By Radio

Owenton, Ky., August 2—Organized opposition to the State Administration was described as the "old sales tax convention crowd wanting to get back in the saddle and ride," by Gov. A. B. Chandler, who spoke here on a State-wide radio hookup in an appeal for a Legislature that would "finish the job."

The Governor mixed in with his story of Administration achievement a reply to the criticisms of John Young Brown, his former supporter. He described Brown, without calling his name, as "a disgruntled politician—this little unregistered lobbyist." The Governor said that Brown had represented an organization before the Legislature, in a lobbyist capacity, without registering as the law requires.

The Governor asked, too, for the election of Hubert Meredith as Attorney General. Turning it around the other way, the Governor asked for the defeat of Francis M. Burke, who also seeks the Democratic nomination for Attorney General.

Burke was fired from the Attorney General's office two years ago by Bailey P. Wootton, Attorney General, the Governor said.

FILES SUIT FOR DIVORCE

Adrian Henderson Moates has filed suit for divorce in Warren Circuit Court against Ernest Moates.

The defendant in the suit is now a resident of Mississippi.

The plaintiff states in the petition she and the defendant were married December 9, 1931 and separated in May 1935.

S. A. R. Unveils Monument In Kentucky Park

Glasgow, Ky., Aug. 2 — Some 600 persons attended the unveiling of a monument at Old Mulkey Meeting House and State Park near Tompkinsville, to Thomas White, Revolutionary soldier.

Bailey P. Wootton, director of state parks, spoke on "Old Mulkey." The Rev. Thomas L. Hulse, Burkesville, preached the annual homecoming sermon.

Thomas White Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution, Glasgow, had charge of the unveiling with Dr. J. A. Gaines, presiding.

Schedule For Street Showers Are Announced

City Clerk Hugh Webb announced today the street shower for the children of the city will be conducted on Tuesday and Thursday of each week during the hot weather.

The schedule is as follows:

- 1:30 o'clock, Scott and Church streets.
- 1:50 o'clock, Bloomfield and Thomas avenue.
- 2:10 o'clock, Third and State streets.
- 2:30 o'clock, Fifth and High streets.
- 2:50 o'clock, Fourteenth and Indianola.
- 3:10 o'clock, Thirteenth and Nutwood.
- 3:30 o'clock, Kenton, between Broadway and Eleventh streets.
- 3:50 o'clock, Twelfth and Subbins streets.

Boston Publisher Asks Police To Search For Son

Boston, Aug. 2 (INS)—Alfred Knox, newspaper publisher, today asked police to search for his son, Alfred, Jr., who disappeared July 26 in Norwood while he was awaiting a train for Boston.

The boy was employed as composing apprentice in Norwood's Plympton Press and indicated to his father he was going to the middlewest to seek employment.

MADE RUNS TO TWO FIRES

Sunday morning at 3:55 o'clock two trucks from the Fire Department made a run to Twelfth and Center streets to extinguish a blaze in a car belonging to J. S. Jackson.

At 1:15 o'clock Sunday afternoon thirteen trucks made a run to the H. H. Welch property on College street, to extinguish a fire in a servant's room. A colored man smoking in bed is said to have caught the mattress on fire. The damage was small.

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campus of adequate size and impressive beauty.

President Cherry's interest permeated many vital phases of the life of the state. In 1913, he organized and directed the Farmers' Chautauqua which, under his leadership, caught the public fancy and gained national fame. In 1917, he was appointed by the governor of Kentucky as a member of the National Council of Defense, and also made Chairman of the Speakers Committee and for more than a year he directed the various campaigns for the upbuilding of the morale of the people.

In 1922, he led the movement which resulted in the extension of the curriculum to the baccalaureate level and of the change of the title to The Western Kentucky State Teachers College. Nine years later a year of graduate work was offered and the Master's degree awarded.

President Cherry organized the College Heights Foundation, chartered in 1923. The Foundation has assembled funds to assist students confronted by economic crises. Already more than 4,500 loans have been made, totaling more than \$175,000. In addition to this service the Foundation has sponsored some of the college's most unique projects, The Kentucky Building, The Colonial Gardens, etc.

President Cherry was one of the creative influences in the Kentucky Education Association. He was twice elected president, in 1902 and again in 1926. He is the only man to have been so honored. He was a member of the Board of Directors for over thirty years. He wrote many magazine articles and two books: "Our Civic Image," and "Education, The Basis of Democracy." In 1917, he was awarded the LL.D. degree by the University of Kentucky.

In April 1896, Henry Hardin Cherry and Bessie Faye of Crab Orchard, Kentucky, were married. He is survived by his wife and three children, Mrs. Shepard Lowman of Houston, Texas; Mrs. John Earl Sims of Princeton, Kentucky; and Henry Hardin Cherry, Jr., now a student at Western.

President Cherry was of great dynamic force. His tremendous physical vitality enabled him to perform prodigious work. His sympathetic understanding of the lives and needs of students, combined with his fundamental sense of justice have brought an added richness to the careers of thousands. Educational leaders in all of the southern and many of the northern states caught their original inspiration from him.

President Cherry was the oldest in service of the presidents of the teachers colleges of the nation. His continuous tenure of forty-five years being equalled by that of President A. C. Boyden of Bridgewater (1860-1906). During the administration of President Cherry, more than 60,000 students came under his immediate influence.

He was a lifelong Democrat, and Methodist and was superintendent of the State Street Methodist Sunday School for many years.