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WESTERN KENTUCKY STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE

Schedule of Courses, Mid-Semester 1931

APRIL 6—JUNE 5

The Mid-Semester, or Spring term, will begin April 6, 1931, and continue for nine weeks. This term is an integral part of the regular school year, and the same general rules as regards entrance, credits, and graduation apply as to any other term of semester. Splendid opportunities to earn credits in the various departments of the institution are provided for the following persons: Those desiring to continue their studies in the various departments of the institution must be prepared for the following persons: Those desiring to continue work toward a certificate or degree; students who find it convenient to enter the school for the first time, and others interested in advancing their academic and professional preparation.

A few additional teachers will be employed, but most of the instruction will be offered by the regular members of the faculty.

INSTRUCTIONS TO STUDENTS:

The instructions given below are designed to acquaint students with certain important matters connected with the requirements of the institution. A knowledge of the information outlined is absolutely necessary for an intelligent and satisfactory registration. Students will save much time and probable worry by reading very carefully each word in the instructions which have been prepared for their guidance.

1. Curricula.
   At the time of registration, a sheet containing all curricula offered by the institution will be handed to students. They should have clearly in mind the opportunities and requirements of the various curricula leading to the different certificates and degrees before planning their courses of study. They should always advise with some official or the head of the department for which they have preference.

2. Student Load.
   The normal load for the mid-semester term is eight hours, and should not be exceeded by the average student. The maximum load for this term is nine semester hours.

3. Freshman Courses.
   Freshmen entering for the first time should make up their programs from the following subjects: English 101a, Education 101a, History 101, Biology 101 or Physical Education, Agriculture 101, Mathematics 101, Geography 101, and Music 101.

4. Directed Teaching.
   Courses in Directed Teaching are not open to Freshmen. Education 101a, Education 101, and Education 102 are prerequisites to Directed Teaching. Students electing this course must arrange with the teachers of the Training School for their teaching hours before making up the remainder of their programs. The first course is Directed Teaching 1 Educational 103; second course, Education 302; and the third course, Education 304. Students registering for one of these courses must arrange to hold conferences with their critic teachers every Tuesday afternoon from 4:15 to 5:15.

5. Physical Education.
   All Freshmen entering the institution for the first time must enroll for one physical activity.

In the beautiful setting of the stadium of Western Teachers College with its incomparable view in the foreground two thousand children's faces filled the air with melody on Friday afternoon on the occasion of the Third District Education Association, and completely captivated the fancy of the large audience that had assembled to hear them.

The singing was under the efficient direction of Mrs. Nell Gooch Travelstead who with her assistants had for several weeks prior to the meeting of the Association been visiting the various rural schools in the Third District for the purpose of selecting the best talent available for this occasion.

The children sang with the eager enthusiasm and naiveté of childhood and the success of the occasion argues well for the future appreciation of music in the rural schools of Kentucky.
6. Junior and Senior College Courses.

Courses numbered from 101 to 199 are open only to Freshmen and Seniors; courses numbered from 200 to 299 are open to Juniors and Seniors, but may be taken by Sophomores, if consent is granted by the instructor.

7. Calendar for Registration, Etc.

April 6—Monday, Registration for mid-semes-
ter. April 9—Wednesday, Last day of registrat-
ion for full credit. April 11—Saturday, Last day for registration.
Western Offers A New Course of Study In Arts and Sciences

The Western Kentucky State Teachers College recognizes as its duty the training of students to become teachers in every type of school supported by the state. It also accepts the responsibility of training principals, superintendents, supervisors for rural schools, and supervisors of special subjects.

Western, however, has from its beginning striven to provide through high standards of scholarship a large number of well organized courses of study, a superior teaching staff, splendid physical facilities, and the very best opportunities for the young men and young women of Kentucky to achieve their educational objectives. The institution has at all times been alive to the changing needs of society, and has endeavored to meet the demands of the public by keeping its educational program abreast of the times.

In keeping with this policy, and in addition to the large number of curricula leading to professional certificates and degrees, the institution has arranged a new course of study known as the Arts and Science Curriculum. This curriculum has been organized for the purpose of providing college training for those persons who do not want to take the professional subjects required of those who enter the teaching profession. A large number of young men and women are now taking this course and many more will enter in the future.

Display of Western Kentucky Teachers College

Booth number 78, the same space used last year by our institution, will be the display space of Western Teachers College during this meeting of the K. E. A. The booth is located in the gymnasium of the auditorium and will be in charge of Mr. W. J. Craig, head of the personnel department of the college, and of Mr. W. M. Pearce, who is in charge of our extension department. Mr. Craig and Mr. Pearce will welcome you at any time and will cheerfully give you any information which may be helpful. If you wish to get in touch with any governing board relative to procuring a position, please come and leave your address at this booth as we are urging school superintendents, trustees, members of the governing boards and others who have authority in making these selections to call at this location to communicate with prospective employees. In short, just use our booth as a get-together point. If you are a former student seeking a connection, come and tell us where you can be located. If you are a county superintendent in need of help come and tell us your needs—we want to serve you both and take this opportunity to extend you a most cordial invitation to Booth number 78.

Headquarters Western

Headquarters of the Western Teachers College during the meeting of the Kentucky Educational Association, will be located at the same place as heretofore, on the mezzanine floor of the Seabock Hotel. All former students attending the K. E. A. or who may be in Louisville during the session are cordially urged to make our headquarters their meeting place.

The Student Loan Fund has done a real work. It has aided more than 3,500 worthy young men and women of limited means in their efforts to acquire an education and it will aid many more.

Cost of a Semester in Teachers College

Reckoned solely in dollars and cents, a term at college here will cost but little more than one's living expenses would be for the same period at home. The State of Kentucky has generously offered free tuition under instructors that have no superior and but few equals. Earnest students are able to attend Western Teachers College for a semester of eighteen weeks on as small an outlay as one hundred and twenty-six dollars, including room, meals, registration fee and books. These items are estimated as follows:

- Tuition is free.
- Board $4.00 a week .......................... $72.00
- Room Rent $12.00 ........................... 48.00
- Registration Fee ............................. 6.00
- Books, about ................................ 12.00

Total ...................................... $126.00

Students who desire to do so may usually purchase their books at second-hand rates and, after completing the course of study, sell them to incoming students, thus reducing this item of expense.

For the registration fee there comes the benefit of full use of the library, the advice and personal assistance of a graduate nurse, and other members of the Health Department, admission to the various numbers of the Lyceum course, and to the principal athletic events.

Western’s Breakfast

Mr. W. J. Craig, Secretary of Western’s Alumni Association and Head of the Personnel Department will be in charge of the breakfast which will be served at the Brown Hotel at 7 A.M. on Friday, April 17. An excellent breakfast will be served for fifty cents. All who expect to attend the breakfast should communicate with Mr. W. J. Craig.

Free Tuition for Everybody in Kentucky

Since the Legislature has removed the former boundary line between Eastern and Western Teachers College, teachers and prospective teachers who live in any part of Kentucky can enter either college on free tuition. In fact, any student in the state, regardless of the county in which he lives is now entitled to FREE INSTRUCTION AT THIS INSTITUTION.
The appeal to you to pay your subscription comes from one who has given unselfishly of his life for the successful accomplishment of the Student Loan Fund and the Kentucky Building.

The purposes of the Kentucky Building are too well known to need further discussion. It will be when completed a shrine to which the hearts of those who helped to build it will turn with joy because of the contributions they have made.

The Kentucky Building is under construction and can be pushed to completion now, if subscriptions to the College Heights Foundation are paid punctually.

The more we think of it, the more we are convinced that it will be when completed one of the most interesting achievements ever accomplished on College Heights. It has an appeal that should reach every human heart and it will have when completed a mission that will be a benediction to present and future civilization.

If you can pay your subscription in full, it will be of great assistance to us in this time of emergency need. If you cannot pay in full, a payment of your pledge due at this time will be greatly appreciated.

Building costs are now low. Better contracts can be made than at any time in the past. Immediate payment of subscriptions due College Heights Foundation will be of great assistance in the work of the construction of the Kentucky Building.

The Kentucky Building will be erected. The more we think of it, the more we are convinced that it will be when completed one of the most interesting achievements ever accomplished on College Heights. It has an appeal that should reach every human heart and it will have when completed a mission that will be a benediction to present and future civilization.

The excavation and the foundation of the Kentucky Building have been completed. Work has been suspended for the winter but will be started again early in the spring and the construction of the building will be pushed to completion. We hope to finish the exterior of the building and to put it under a roof by early fall.

ALLOW ME AGAIN TO APPEAL TO ALL WHO HAVE NOT PAID THEIR SUBSCRIPTIONS IN FULL OR THE AMOUNT NOW DUE ON THEIR PLEDGE TO MAKE AN EARNEST EFFORT TO DO SO AT EARLIEST POSSIBLE MOMENT. IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO MAKE CONTRACTS AND CARRY ON THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE KENTUCKY BUILDING WITHOUT A DEFINITE FINANCIAL BASIS UPON WHICH TO WORK.

Kindly let me, or Mr. R. H. Seward, Secretary of the College Heights Foundation, hear from you regarding the payment of your pledge.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

President, Western Kentucky Teachers College, and the College Heights Foundation.

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