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

By BOY BATOSSIN

Police Investigations Held At Western Kentucky Colleges

The Kentucky, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee That Hand," and a scripture reading, was followed by Dr. R. E. Elkins of the First Baptist Church on the religious program, while Dr. J. H. Cherry, son of the late Dr. Henry H. Cherry, preached a homecoming sermon. The Rev. A. R. Glasgow, pastor of the Baptist Church, of which Dr. Cherry was a member, delivered the annual son of Western Kentucky University in 1864. Services were conducted on Tuesday and Wednesday of each week during Dr. Cherry's 58 years of superintendency of the institution. The Rev. A. R. Glasgow, pastor of the Baptist Church, of which Dr. Cherry was a member, delivered the annual son of Western Kentucky University in 1864. Services were conducted on Tuesday and Wednesday of each week during Dr. Cherry's 58 years of superintendency of the institution.

Dr. Henry Cherry was born in Oldham County, Aug. 20, 1846, the son of Dr. and Mrs. Henry H. Cherry. He was the seventh of seven children. His father, Thomas Ish Cherry, was a well-known local physician. Henry Cherry attended the Oldham County Schools until he was 10. He then entered the Kentucky University at Lexington, where he pursued a course in medicine. He graduated from the University in 1864 and entered the practice of medicine in Oldham County. He returned to Western Kentucky College in 1870 to serve as principal of the school until his death in 1907. During his 37 years of service, he is credited with transforming the college into a respected institution.

The Reverend Mr. Cherry was a member of the Presbyterian Church. He was a man of great faith and integrity, and his contributions to Western Kentucky College were significant. He passed away on the morning of June 20, 1907, and is deeply missed by his family, friends, and the community.

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Boston Publisher Asks Police To Search For Foul

Boston, Aug. 2 (AP) - Alfred Edrington, president of the Boston Daily News, today asked police in the city to search for evidence in the murder of his father.

The top executive was engaged in a police investigation of the murder of Dr. Henry H. Cherry. The president was in the city to establish a new newspaper.

Makers Run To Foul Ends

Saturday morning at 3:30 o'clock two friends from the Fire Department made a run to Teddy and Ginger's garage to extinguish a fire in a building in the business district. The fire was in a wooden building and was under control in ten minutes.

Dr. Henry Cherry, president of Western Kentucky College, died Aug. 12, 1907, after a long illness. He was 61 years old at the time of his death. He was born in Oldham County, Ky., on Aug. 20, 1846, and was the son of Thomas Ish Cherry, a well-known local physician.

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campus of adequate size and impressive beauty. President Cherry's interest permeated many vital phases 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 degree 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 4,000 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 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 untiring interest in the lives and needs of students, combined with his fundamental sense of the importance of beauty and richness to the careers of thousands, educational leaders in all of the southern and many of the northern states trace their original inspiration from him.

President Cherry was the old, experienced and respected leader of the teachers colleges of the nation. His continuous tenure for forty-five years being equalled only 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 Moderator and President-Elect of the State Methodist Commission of the Methodist Church. He was a member of the Board of Trustees of the Western Kentucky State Teachers College, and President of the Board of Trustees of the Western Kentucky Teachers College.

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