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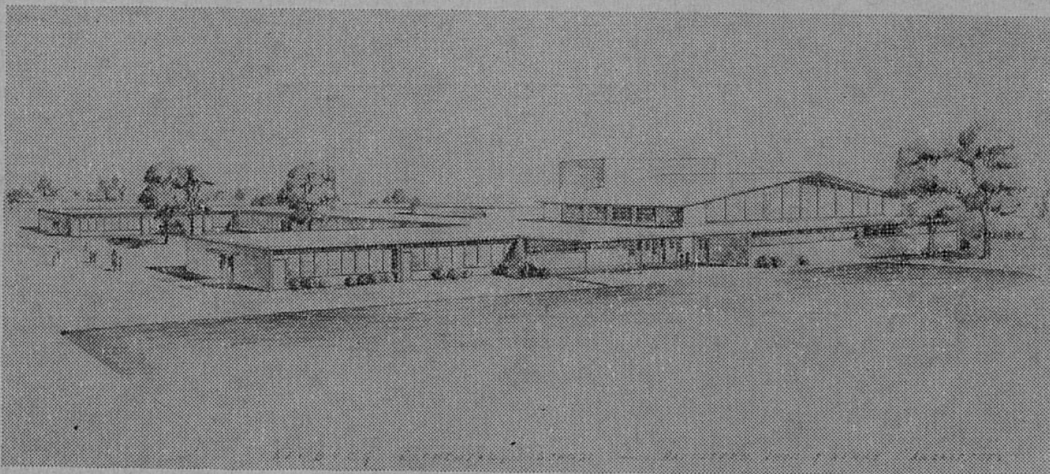
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## *Editorial Comment*

### NEWBERG ELEMENTARY AND JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

The school, which is featured on the cover page of this issue, is located at Indian Trail and Newburg Road, Buechel, Kentucky.

It is known as Newberg Elementary and Junior High School.

It was built not only to replace the old Newburg School, which had long since been outdated, but also to provide an adequate Elementary and Junior High program for the community, which it serves.

The school is a one floor plan building containing 13 general purpose class rooms, a library, a visual-aids room, a general shop, an art room, a home economics suite, a mathematics and science room, a music room, administrative and physical education offices, and a very spacious and massive auditorium-gymnasium.

The exterior walls are of concrete, glass, and concrete block.

Because of its modern physical features, and fine teaching facilities, this building is a source of inspiration and pride to teachers, pupils, and the community as a whole.

This is the first Junior High School which has been constructed by the Jefferson County Board of Education.

## *K. T. A. Citations*

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The Board of Directors of the K.T.A. voted to give annually several citations to outstanding Kentuckians for educational achievement. Therefore several awards will be made at the 1954 convention. Among these are the following:

(1) Prof. A. E. Meyzeek; over forty years a principal in the Louisville Public Schools, ex-president of the K.N.E.A., civic leader and at present a member of the State Board of Education.

(2) Mr. Jesse Lawrence, a teacher for many years in the Louisville Public Schools, and a member of the Kentucky General Assembly. In the latter capacity, he sponsored a revision of the Day Law, the result of which permitted Negro youth to go to the University of Louisville and other colleges in Kentucky, to which, heretofore, they were denied admittance.

(3) Dr. Blyden Jackson, an English teacher in the Louisville Public Schools for several years. Recently he received his Doctor of Philosophy Degree from the University of Michigan. He is now on the faculty of Fisk University. This year he is to be a guest speaker on several departmental programs of the K.T.A.

(4) Mrs. Jane Spaulding, a guest speaker of the 1954 convention program. She is a native Kentuckian, a graduate of Fisk University, was selected by Pres. Eisenhower to be assistant in the Department of Health and Welfare. She is now in an administrative position in the War Claims Commission at Washington, D. C.

(5) Prof. H. R. Merry, for more than thirty years the principal of the Lincoln-Grant School at Covington, Ky. He has served for many years as president of the Northern District Association of the K.N.E.A. He has also served as president of the Negro Division of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. He will retire in another year.

## *Loyalty*

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Loyalty is constant, faithful and self-sacrificing devotion to an object, person or cause. In the case of your profession, it might well be the Kentucky Teachers Association. Annual enrollment in this organization will help express your loyalty. The K.T.A. office is on the alert to receive the annual membership fee of \$3.00 from each teacher. The voluntary membership of \$4.00 is much needed to adequately finance our program.

The K.T.A. keeps you informed through its journals, keeps up interest in the learning of our children by promoting the annual spelling contest, bringing speakers of national reputation to help inspire and inform our teachers, promoting a legislative program for teachers' welfare, etc.

Be loyal! Support your organization! It supports you!



# K.T.A. Kullings

Rev. Felix Anderson, pastor of the Broadway A.M.E. Zion Church of Louisville, is now a member of the Kentucky Legislative Assembly. He has introduced a bill that would amend the Day Law in Kentucky. If his bill is passed, there can be integration of white and Negro children in Catholic and private schools provided the local board of education approves it.



Mr. Charles R. Taylor, formerly a teacher in the State Street School in Bowling Green, Kentucky, is now teacher of music and English in the Dunbar High School of Somerset, Kentucky. He returned to Kentucky after teaching in Oklahoma and serving in the Navy Department at Washington, D. C.



Mrs. Katherine Taylor, speech correction teacher in the Louisville schools, was recently elected chairman of the Department of Exceptional Children of the K.T.A.



Mrs. Agnes Duncan, principal of the Newberg School of Buechel, Kentucky, will entertain the Kentucky principals with a noon luncheon meeting in the cafeteria of her new school on Thursday, April 22, 1954 during the K.T.A. Convention.



Mrs. Jane Morrow Spaulding, has resigned her position as special assistant to Mrs. Oveta Hobby in the U. S. Department of Health and Welfare. She is now research adviser on the War Claims Commission. She will be the guest speaker at the Friday afternoon, April 23, general session of the K.T.A.



Mrs. Theda Van Lowe, Principal of the Douglass High School of Fayette County, Lexington, Kentucky, has written the K.T.A. secretary an encouraging letter in which comments on the sponsorship of the Future Teachers of America conference of the K.T.A. and also the fact that the K.T.A. Librarians Department and SLAK (Student Libr-

ary Assistants of Kentucky) are planning a spring conference on April 9, 1954.



Prof. C. B. Nucholls, Principal of the B. T. Washington School at Ashland, Kentucky and K.T.A. Director was a guest sponsor over Station WCMI for the "March of Dimes" on January 29, 1954. He and other prominent citizens of Ashland were featured on a program titled "Platters for Polio."



Mrs. Anita W. Robinson, Secretary of the K.T.A. held conference on Saturday, February 6, 1954, with Miss Mary Titus, Consultant for the National Education Association, Miss Lillian Lehman, representative of the Kentucky Education Association, and Mrs. Arline B. Allen, President of the Louisville Teachers Association. The objective of the conference was to seek ways to improve the relationships between local educational organizations and the N.E.A.



The William H. Perry Sr. Elementary School was the first school in the Louisville system to enroll 100% in the K.T.A. for 1953-54. Most enrollees were "Honor Members". Mrs. Carrie F. Smythe is the principal of this school.



Mrs. Anita W. Robinson, Secretary-Treasurer of the K.T.A., has joined the National Education Association and has a Life Membership. The fee for a life membership is \$150.00.



Mrs. Clara Wendell Taylor, President of the Lexington Teachers Association, reports one hundred per cent membership in the National Education Association. They have been affiliated with the N.E.A. for over twelve years. They have sent delegates to the National convention, and they are planning to send one to the convention this year. The Lexington Teachers Association paved the way for one hundred per cent memberships in the local, state, and national organizations for the teachers of Lexington.

# K.T.A. Announcements

Mr. W. Taylor Seals, Principal of the Russell School of Lexington, Kentucky, has been nominated as a candidate for the Board of Directors of the K.T.A. at the 1954 convention of the K.T.A. by the Bluegrass District Teachers Education Association.



The annual spelling contest of the K.T.A. will be held at 9:00 A.M. on Friday, April 23, 1954, during the convention. The preliminary written contest will be in room 102 of the Central High School building and the final oral contest will be in the auditorium at 11:00 A.M. Send your entry to the Secretary of the K.T.A. at once. You may also write for a suggestive list of words to help prepare a contestant. Each contestant must represent a city or county school district. No district may have more than one representative.



The following constitutional amendment will be voted upon during the official K.T.A. election on Friday, April 23: That Article XI, Section 1 of the K.T.A. Constitution be revised to read as follows: "That the president or vice president be eligible to succeed themselves after having served two consecutive years, provided each or either receives two thirds of the majority of votes cast at an annual election." The adoption of this amendment will require a two thirds majority of those voting.



On Friday, April 23, 1954, members of the K.T.A. will have the opportunity to vote on a proposed constitutional change, namely, that the annual membership dues be increased from three dollars per year to four dollars per year.



The Fourth District Education Association of the K.T.A. has nominated Prof. J. V. Robinson, Principal of the Bond-Washington School of Elizabethtown, as a candidate for membership on the K.T.A. Board of Directors. His name will appear on the K.T.A. ballot for voting on April 23 at the 1954 convention.

Prof. A. R. Lasley, one year president of K.N.E.A. and now president of the K.T.A., will be a candidate for re-election. This would be his second year as president of the K.T.A. His candidacy is being supported by many of our leading Kentucky educators.



A constitutional revision will be voted upon at the 1954 convention to make the assistant secretary of the K.T.A. eligible for election to a one- or three-year term. This provision is already in the constitution regarding the Secretary-Treasurer.



Presidents of our state institutions, district association presidents, local association presidents, committee chairmen, departmental chairmen, officers and directors of the K.T.A. are invited to participate in the Principals' Banquet. This banquet will be held on Friday, April 23, 1954, at 5:00 P.M. in the Central High School Cafeteria. Guest speaker will be Mrs. Jane Morrow Spaulding, Washington, D.C. Reservations are \$1.75 each. Persons eligible to attend the banquet may bring a companion. Send your reservations to Mr. Atwood S. Wilson, Principal, Central High School, Louisville, Ky., not later than April 9.

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# Outline of the First K. T. A. Convention

Meeting Place: Central High School

1130 W. Chestnut Street, Louisville, Kentucky

Central Theme: "Better Schools for a Stronger America"

Wednesday, April 21, 1954

- 10:00 A.M. Teacher Registration and Setting up Exhibits
- 3:00 P.M. Conference for Principals of Kentucky, Mrs. Agnes Duncan, Chm.
- 3:30 P.M. All City Musicale — Miss R. Lillian Carpenter, Assistant Supervisor of Music in the Louisville Public Schools
- 7:00 P.M. K.T.A. Committees meet in assigned rooms (Central High Bldg.)
- 8:00 P.M. First General Session of the K.T.A. (C.H.S. Auditorium)
1. Welcome Address and Response
  2. Address: Dr. Benjamin J. Mayes, President Morehouse College, Atlanta, Georgia
  3. President's Annual Address
  4. Convention Announcements

Thursday, April 22, 1954

- 9:00 A.M. Second General Session of K.T.A., Central High School Aud.
1. Necrology Report and Memorial Services
  2. Report of the Nominating Committee
  3. Address: Rev. Felix Anderson, Representative to Kentucky Legislature
  4. Address: Dr. Karl H. Berns, Assistant Secretary for Field Operations, National Education Association
- 11:00 A.M. Motion Picture at Lyric Theatre for Visiting Teachers
- 12:00 Noon Meeting of District Presidents, Local Association Presidents and interested persons with Dr. Berns in Teachers' Cafeteria, Rm. 215
- 1:45 P.M. Special Business Session of K.T.A.
- 2:30 P.M. Departmental Sessions of K.T.A. in rooms at Central High School (as announced)

7:00 P.M. Band Concert, Central High School Auditorium

- 8:15 P.M. Third General Session of the K.T.A., Central High School Aud.
1. Report of Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Anita W. Robinson
  2. Address: Mrs. Edith Sampson, Attorney, Chicago, Illinois
  3. Awards and Citations

10:00 P.M. Annual Social for Kentucky Teachers and their escorts in Central High School Cafeteria

Friday, April 23, 1954

- 9:00 A.M. Departmental Sessions of the K.T.A.
- 10:00 A.M. 1. Joint Session of Elementary Teachers  
Address: Dr. Ray Bixler, University of Louisville
2. Joint Session of Secondary Teachers  
Address: Dr. Blyden Jackson, Fisk University and Mrs. Edith Sampson, Chicago
- 11:00 A.M. Annual State Spelling Contest, Mr. Theodore Rowan, Chairman
- 2:00 P.M. Fourth General Session of the K.T.A., Central High School Auditorium
1. Concert of Inter-School Orchestra, Jefferson County
  2. Address: Dr. T. M. Stinnett, National Education Association
  3. Address: Mrs. Jane M. Spaulding, Washington, D. C.
- 3:30 P.M. Business Session of K.T.A. Report of Resolutions, Legislative and other committees
- 5:00 P.M. Annual Banquet for Kentucky Principals, C.H.S. Cafeteria
- 6:30 P.M. Board of Directors Meeting, Room 140
- 8:15 P.M. 23rd Annual Musicale, Central High School Auditorium
- 10:30 P.M. Adjournment of Convention



# General Public Sessions of K. T. A.

## FIRST GENERAL SESSION

### General (Public) Session

Wednesday, April 22, 1954 — 8:00 P.M.

Seated on the rostrum: Past Presidents, Past Secretaries, Officers, and Departmental Chairmen

Presiding: Mr. William Wood, First Vice President

National Anthem — Mrs. Ruth Davis at the organ

Music — Boys' Glee Club, Central High School, Mr. Frank L. Whitaker, Director

Invocation — Rev. Felix Anderson, Pastor, Broadway Temple Church, Louisville, Kentucky

Music — Boys' Glee Club, Central High School

Welcome Address — Mr. Jesse Lawrence, Former Representative to Kentucky State Legislature

Response to Welcome — Mrs. Clara W. Taylor, Pres. Bluegrass District, Lexington

Solo — "Morning" — Oley Speaks  
"There Is A Balm in Gilead" — arr by Hall Johnson — Miss Katherine M. Bennett, Lexington

Address — Dr. Benjamin Mayes, Pres. Morehouse College, Atlanta, Georgia, Introduced by Mrs. Abbey C. Jackson

Solo — "A May Morning" — Weatherly  
"The Wind" — Spross — Miss Roberta B. Wylie, Hopkinsville

President's Annual Address — A. R. Lasley, President K.T.A., Hopkinsville, Ky.

Announcements

Benediction — Rev. Morris Holmes, Eminence, Kentucky

## SECOND GENERAL SESSION

Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 9:00 A.M.

Organ Music — Mrs. Ruth Davis, Organist, Quinn Chapel A.M.E. Church  
Invocation — Rev. Charles W. Owens, Pastor, Lampton Street Baptist Church, Louisville, Kentucky

Report of Necrology Committee  
In Memorium — Deceased Members of the K.T.A., Service conducted by Prof. G. V. Curry, Chairman

Report of Nominating Committee — Mr. L. J. Harper, Chairman  
Music — "This Is My Country" — Tom Scott

"Habenera" — Bizet-Remick  
"Jesus Walked This Lonesome Valley" — Dawson — Girls' Chorus, DuValle Junior High School, Mrs. M. E. Smith, Director

Address (to be followed by discussion):

1. Rev. Felix Anderson, Representative to Kentucky Legislature
2. Dr. Karl H. Berns, Assistant Secretary for Field Operations, National Education Association  
Introduced by Mrs. Arline Allen, Pres. Louisville Teachers' Association

Announcements

Benediction — Rev. W. R. Brown, Ashland, Kentucky

## SPECIAL BUSINESS SESSION

Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 1:45 P.M.

Presiding: A. R. Lasley, President of K.T.A.

Music — Audience Singing lead by Mrs. Selma Flack, Accompanied by Mrs. Thelma Hampton, Louisville

Special Committee Reports —

1. Vocational Education
2. Rural School Problems
3. Scholarship Loans
4. Research

New Business

Announcements and Adjournment

Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 7:00 P.M.

Band Concert (One Hour) — Kentucky School for the Blind, Otis Eades, Director  
Central High School, E. Alan White, Director

# General Public Sessions of K. T. A.

## THIRD GENERAL (PUBLIC) SESSION

Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 8:15 P.M.

Seated on the Rostrum — Board of Directors and Presidents of District and Local Education Associations of K.T.A.

Presiding — A. R. Lasley, President of K.T.A.

Invocation — Rev. H. H. Green, Pastor of Jones Temple Methodist Church, Louisville, Kentucky

Music — "To A Wild Rose" — MacDowell

"Musetta's Waltz Song" from "La Boheme" — Puccini

"You'll Never Walk Alone"—from "Carousel" — Rodgers-Ringwald Girls' Glee Club, Jackson Jr. High School, Mrs. Alyne M. Martin, Director

Secretary's Annual Report — Mrs. Anita W. Robinson

Music — "Sylvia" — Oley Speaks  
"March of the Toreador" — Bizet  
"Falling in Love with Love" — Stickles  
Boys' Glee Club, Madison Jr. High School, Mr. William R. King, Director

Feature Address— Mrs. Edith Sampson, Attorney, Chicago, Illinois, Introduced by Mrs. Lucille Madry, Louisville

Solo — "Mon Desir" — Ethelbert Nevin  
"Release" — Gustov Klemm  
Mrs. Marguerite West, Ashland

Award of Lincoln Institute Key — Mr. J. Mansir Tydings, Lincoln Ridge

Citations — Dr. Blyden Jackson, Prof. A. E. Meyzeek, Mr. Jesse Lawrence, Prof. H. R. Merry and Mrs. Jane M. Spaulding

Benediction — Rev. J. S. Beverly, Pastor, 1st Baptist Church, Paris, Kentucky

10:00 — Social for Teachers and escorts in C. H. S. Cafeteria

## FOURTH GENERAL SESSION

Friday, April 23, 1954 — 2:00 P.M.

Concert (One-half hour)—Inter-School Orchestra, Dorsey, Jeffersontown, and Newburg Schools, Mrs. Jessye H. Hamilton, Director

Invocation — Rev. M. B. Lanier, Pres., Simmons University

Address — Dr. T. M. Stinnett, National Education Association, Introduced by Prof. H. R. Merry, Covington, Ky.

Music — "This Is My Country"— Ringwald

"He Arose" — Spiritual

"Now The Day Is Over" — Barnby Elementary Chorus, Lincoln School, Mrs. Mary Catherine Larue, Director, Mrs. Jennie Cooper, Accompanist

Address — Mrs. Jane M. Spaulding, Washington, D. C., Introduced by Mrs. M. J. Egester, Puducah

Committee Reports:

1. Resolutions
2. Legislative
- 3 Auditing
4. Other Committees

(See page 5 for Committee Chairmen)

Benediction — Rev. E. T. Buford, Principal, State Street High School, Bowling Green, Kentucky



# Twenty-fourth Annual Musicale

Friday, April 23, 1954 — 8:15 P.M.  
Central High School Auditorium  
R. Lillian Carpenter, Mistress of Ceremonies

## PROGRAM

The Star Spangled Banner

Selections

"O Bone Jesu" — Palestrina

"There Is A Balm in Gilead" — Dawson

"An' I Cry" — Noah Ryder

Lincoln Institute Chorus, Mrs. Cynthia Gibson, Dir.

Czardas

Monti

\*Iran Acton, Violinist

\*Genevieve Moss, Accompanist

Selections

"List! The Cherubic Host" from "The Holy City" — Gaul

Alto soloist, Juanita Hinds      Soprano soloist, Laurette Hicks

"The Roads End" — Purvis

Soloists, Laurette Hicks, Betty Foster

Accompanist, Patricia McMillon

Girls Ensemble, Central High School

Mrs. N. B. Crume, Director, Louisville

"It Is Enough" from "Elijah" — Mendelssohn

\*William Pearson, Baritone

\*Genevieve Moss, Accompanist

Selections

"Gloria" — Mozart

"Into the Night" — Edwards

Western High School Chorus, Owensboro

Mrs. Sara Osborne McClure, Director

"Sonnetto del Petrarca" No. 124

Liszt

Thaddeus Reed, Pianist

Selections

"You Defy Me" — Giovanell

"Verdant Meadows" — Handel

"Grant Unto Me the Joy of Thy Salvation" — Brahms

"Every Time I Feel the Spirit" — arranged by Smith

"Don't Be Weary, Traveler" — Dett

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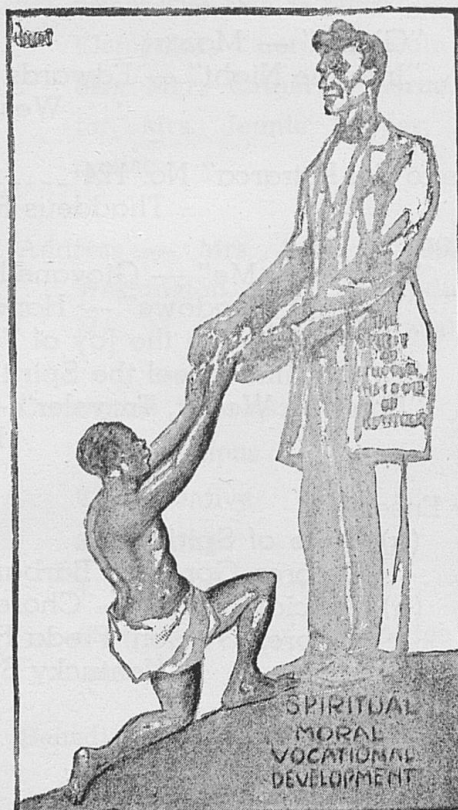
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# Departmental Sessions of K. T. A.

## MUSIC DEPARTMENT

### STUDENT MUSICALE

C. H. S. Auditorium

Wednesday, April 21, 1954

R. Lillian Carpenter, Chairman

Pupils of the following teachers will participate:

Mrs. Selma Flack, Mrs. Goldie Hyatt, Miss Elizabeth Minnis, Miss Emma Minnis, Mrs. Henrietta Roberts, and Mrs. Mattie L. Spencer.

(Programs will be distributed at the performance.)

### BAND CONCERT

Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 7:00 P.M.

#### Selections

"The Star Spangled Banner" — Francis Scott Key  
"National Emblem March" — E. Bagley  
"Iris Waltz" — H. Bennett  
"Sacred Overture" — W. Kirkpatrick  
"Stars and Stripes Forever" — J. Phillip Sousa  
Kentucky School for the Blind, Mr. Otis Eades, Director

#### Selections

"Our Director" — March — Biglow  
"Procession to the Cathedral" from "Lohengrin" — Wagner  
"Vincent Youman's Fantasy" — Yoder  
"The Phantom Regiment" — Leroy Anderson  
"Warsaw Concerto" — Richard Adinsell  
"Washington and Lee Swing" — Yoder  
Central High School Band, Mr. E. Alan White, Director

### BAND CONCERT

Friday, April 23, 1954 — 1:30 P.M.

#### Selections

"America, The Beautiful"—Samuel O. Ward  
"LaPaloma" — arr. by Joseph Paulson  
"Star Dust" — Carmichael-Hermon Marlee Thompson, Vibraphone  
"At The Skating Rink"—Hoffmann  
"Our Flying Heroes" — March — Hoffmann  
"Finlandia" — Sieblius arr. by Holmes  
Trumpet Quartet, Virgil Dorsey, Louise Gilbert, Marshall Anderson, Alvin Warfield  
"Waltz Serenade"— D'Arcy Jaxone

"American Dance Melody"—Williams

Inter - School Orchestra, Dorsey, Jeffersontown, and Newburg Schools, Mrs. Jessye H. Hamilton, Director

Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 2:30 P.M.

Room 230

Miss R. Lillian Carpenter, Chairman

Mr. L. A. Diggs, Co-Chairman

Theme: Devices Used for Embellishing and Enriching the Music Lesson.

I Demonstration of Louisville Schools  
Kindergarten — Mrs. Catherine Williams, Paul Dunbar School  
Second Grade — Mrs. Thelma Hampton, W. H. Perry Sr. School  
Fourth Grade — Mrs. Lena Warders, W. H. Perry Sr. School  
Sixth Grade — Mrs. Addie Black, Virginia Avenue School

### II Evaluation

Planning Committee — Mrs. Marianne Scott, Chairman; Mrs. Edwina McFarland, Recorder; Mrs. Elizabeth Hicks, Mrs. Ruth Davis, Mrs. Evelyn Beard

Friday, April 23, 1954 — 9:00 A.M.

### I Demonstrations

Sight Reading, Grade Six — Mrs. Marie Herd, S. C. Taylor School  
Choral Techniques for the Adolescent Boy Voice — Mr. Gilbert Macfarlane, Choir-master and Organist, Christ Church Cathedral, Louisville, Kentucky. (In the demonstration Mr. Macfarlane will use boys from our upper elementary grades, junior high school, and members of the Cathedral Choir.)

Friday, April 23, 1954 — 10:30 A.M.

Brief meeting of instructors of instrumental music.

# Departmental Sessions of K. T. A.

## PRIMARY DEPARTMENT

**Room 216 (East Cafeteria)**  
**Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 2:30 P.M.**

Presiding — Mrs. Aora E. Bertram,  
Chairman

Song — "America" — Audience

Prayer

Greetings — Mrs. Aora E. Bertram

Introduction of Speaker — Miss Fannie  
C. Taylor, Secretary of Primary  
Dept.

Speaker — Dr. Lottie Bernstein, Clinic-  
al Director, Child Guidance Center,  
Louisville, Ky.

Discussion Period

Closing Song

Adjournment

**Friday, April 23, 1954 — 9:00 A.M.**  
Election of Officers

N. B.: After election of officers, this  
department will adjourn for the  
joint session of elementary teachers  
to be held in the Auditorium. Dr  
Ray Bixler, Psychology Depart-  
ment, University of Louisville will  
be guest speaker.

## TEACHERS OF EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN

**Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 12 Noon**

**Luncheon Conference, Room 208 (Tea  
Room) Central High School**

**Sectional Meeting, Room 202, 1:15 P.M.**  
President: Mrs. Katherine Estill Taylor,  
Speech Therapist, Louisville Public  
Schools

Recording Secretary — Miss Lucille  
Haynes, Kentucky School for Blind,  
Louisville, Ky.

Theme: Education of the Mentally Re-  
tarded

Speaker — From the International

Council for Exceptional Children;  
Headquarters: 1201 Sixteenth St.,  
N.W. Washington 6, D. C.

Exhibit — Materials for Teaching Slow  
Learners

**Friday, April 23, 1954 — 9:00 A.M.**  
Business Meeting, Room 202

## ELEMENTARY DEPARTMENT

**Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 2:30 P.M.**  
**Room 135 (Auditorium)**

Round Table Discussion, "Remedial  
Reading in Elementary Schools"  
(In this discussion, the tremendous  
need for remedial reading will be  
emphasized as well as the various  
techniques that are being employed  
in developing reading skills at the  
elementary level.)

- I "Needs and Causes  
Mrs. Ola Mae Crowley, Madison-  
ville  
Mrs. Mary Baxter, West Point  
Mrs. Bessie Thompson, Elizabeth-  
town
- II "Remedial Reading and Word Rec-  
ognition Methods"  
Mrs. Estella Gray, Russellville  
Miss Alice D. Samuels, Frankfort  
Miss Eloise Travis, Louisville
- III "Vocabulary Development"  
Mrs. Edith W. Bristoe, Louisville  
Mrs. Anita White, Richmond
- IV "Methods of Teaching Comprehen-  
sion"  
Mrs. Hattie Maddox, Louisville  
Mrs. Serena Hurd, Louisville  
Mrs. William Woods, Harlan
- V "Developing An Efficient Reading  
Rate"  
Mrs. Marie Nelson, Jenkins  
Mrs. Mariannie Scott, Louisville  
Mr. H. C. Mathis, Drakesboro  
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# Departmental Sessions of K. T. A.

## ART CONFERENCE

Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 2:30 P.M.  
Room 333

Dept. Chairman, Mrs. Susan S. Minor,  
Douglas School, Louisville

Associate Chm., Miss Margaret Taylor,  
S. C. Taylor School, Louisville

Secretary, Mrs. Anna Huddleston  
(Special Art), Lucie DuValle Jr.  
High, Louisville

Discussion. "Evaluating Creative Art in  
Education"

### Group Leaders:

Mrs. Cleopatra P. Adams, Ban-  
necker School, Louisville

Mrs. Mable O. Clark, S. C. Taylor  
School, Louisville

Mrs. Lucy Phillips, G. G. Moore  
School, Louisville

Mrs. Marjorie G. Tisdale, S. C.  
Taylor School, Louisville

Special Feature — Demonstration and  
Address

Mr. Maurice Strider, Art Teacher,  
Dunbar High School, Lexington,  
Ky. Mr. Strider will bring personal  
art materials made and collected.

### Planning Committee:

Mr. Robert Ewing, Charles Young  
School, Louisville

Mr. Rollie Farthing, Lincoln School,  
Louisville

Mr. Thomas P. Green, Frederick  
Douglas School, Louisville

Miss Sussette Jone, Mary B. Tal-  
bert School, Louisville

Mrs. Eliza E. Smith, S. C. Taylor  
School, Louisville

Mrs. Lucille M. Wathen (Special  
Art), Central High School, Louis-  
ville

Friday, April 23, 1954 — 9:30 A.M.

Election of Officers

Evaluating the work shops as a means  
of getting greater participation

N. B.: Thursday and Friday there will  
be a Special Art Exhibit in Room  
333. See children at work from the  
Louisville Public Schools.

## FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA

Room 304, Central High School

Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 2:30 P.M.

Theme: F.T.A. Members Today Make  
Ideal Teachers Tomorrow

Song — "F.T.A. Will Lead The Way"  
F.T.A. Pledge

Song — "We Are The Future Teachers"

Introductory Remarks — Luther Wash-  
ington

History of F.T.A. — Doris J. Hayden  
Panel Discussion — Mozelle Wilson,  
Leader; Hoyt H. Harper, Consult-  
ant

How To Organize and Operate A  
F.T.A. Club — Ella Lilly

F.T.A. At Work In High Schools  
and College — 1. George Vaughn,  
K. S. C.; 2. Dorothy Terry, Central,  
Louisville

What It Means To Be A Future  
Teacher — Bettye Brooks

(Questions Directed To The Panel)

Tribute To An Unknown Teacher

Intermission

Business Session

Committee Reports

(a) Recommendation of Constitu-  
tion and By Laws

(b) Recommendation of K. T. A.  
Association

(c) Election and Installation of  
Officers

Closing Remarks — Hoyt H. Harper

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to attract high school teachers who may  
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Club in their schools. Our goal is to  
establish an F.T.A. Club in every high  
school in the state.

## ELEMENTARY TEACHERS' JOINT DEPARTMENTAL SESSION

Auditorium

Friday, April 23, 1954 — 10:00 A.M.

Presiding: Mrs. Mayme Morris

Opening Remarks — Chairwoman of  
Elementary Department

Audience Singing — Led by Mr. Carl J.  
Barbour, Principal of Dunbar and  
Talbert Schools of Louisville

Presentation of Guest Speaker — Mrs.  
Aora E. Bertram, Chairwoman of  
Primary Department

Guest Speaker — Dr. Ray Bixler, De-  
partment of Psychology, University  
of Louisville

Theme — "Psychological Techniques  
Applicable to the Elementary Class-  
room"

Annual K.T.A. Spelling Bee — 11:00  
A.M.—Mr. Theodore Rowan, Chair-  
man

Departments Invited — Art, Music,  
Primary, Rural School, Elementary  
(teachers and principals), Teachers  
of Exceptional Children, and Fu-  
ture Teachers of America.

# Departmental Sessions of K. T. A.

## AGRICULTURE TEACHERS CONFERENCE

Room 201

Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 10:30 A.M.

Presiding: Mr. Robert L. Banks, Teacher of Vocational Agriculture, Attucks High School, Hopkinsville, Kentucky

Department Theme: "Improving the Instruction in Vocational Agriculture."

Remarks — P. J. Manly, State Adviser for New Farmers of America on subject, "Our Tenth Annual State Convention for New Farmers of America in 1954"

Panel — "The Role of the Teacher of Vocational Agriculture in Helping the School and the Community Meet the Needs of the Pupil."

Panel Members— Messrs. M. L. Brooks, Franklin, Kentucky; George Simons, Georgetown, Kentucky; Elmer P. Lyle, Glasgow, Kentucky; and Mr. Augustus Mack, Lexington, Kentucky. Moderator, Mr. Robert Banks, Hopkinsville, Kentucky

Announcements — P. J. Manly, General Chairman

Adjournment

## FOREIGN LANGUAGE TEACHERS' CONFERENCE

Room 204, Central High School

Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 2:30 P.M.

Presiding — Mrs. Zelma F. Weaver, Dunbar High School, Lexington, Ky.

Devotions and Opening Remarks

Address — "Role of Foreign Language in Education" — Mr. Howard Jason, Professor of Spanish and English, Kentucky State College

Discussion

Election of Officers

The members of this department are invited to the joint session for high school teachers on Friday, April 23, 1954 at 10:00 A.M. in the Central High School Cafeteria. Dr. Blyden Jackson, Fisk University will be the guest speaker.

## SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

Room 302

Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 2:30 P.M.

Presiding: Mr. James E. Washington, Lincoln Institute, Chairman

Addresses and Demonstrations:

1. Liquefaction of Air — A representative from the Air Reduction Company, Louisville, Kentucky
2. The Processing of Milk — Mr. Curtis Radford, The Armour Creameries Company, Louisville, Ky.
3. "Careers in Commercial Chemistry" — Mr. Paul McCree, Du Pont Chemical Company, Charlestown, Indiana
4. "Some Sources for Obtaining Materials in Chemistry" — Mr. E. T. Woolridge, Central High School, Louisville, Ky.

Election of Officers

## HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 2:30 P.M.  
Room 318

Presiding: W. L. Kean, Chairman

Introduction of Guest Speaker — Mr. Thomas B. Godfrey, Supervisor of Health and Physical Education, Louisville Public Schools

Address — "The National Survey of Physical Education Programs for Men" — Mr. Harry Fritz, Indiana University Bureau of Research. Mr. Fritz will present slides, charts, etc., compiled by Dr. Carl W. Bookwalter, director of the National Survey conducted by Indiana University

Comments on the Report of the Educational Policies Commission on "School Athletics: Problems and Policies"

Mr. J. B. Brown, Executive Secretary, K.H.S.A.L.: "Values of State Tournaments for High Schools"

Mr. J. B. Bronough, Principal, Attucks High School, Hopkinsville, Kentucky: "Have Inter-Scholastic Athletics Been Over-emphasized?"

Mr. H. C. Mathis, Principal, Drakesboro Training School, Drakesboro, Kentucky: "Is Our Present Program Cheating Children Educationally?"

Adjournment

Friday, April 23, 1954 — 9:00 A.M.  
Business Meeting



# Departmental Sessions of K. T. A.

## MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT

Room 302

Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 2:30 P.M.

Presiding: Mr. A. I. Ramsey, Louisville  
Opening Remarks — Chairman

Discussion — "Mathematics for a  
Stronger America" to be led by  
Mrs. A. H. Ray, Program Director,  
Lexington, Kentucky

Business: Election of officers

Adjournment

## SOCIAL STUDIES DEPARTMENT

Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 12:00 Noon

Luncheon Meeting, Room 108  
\$2.00 Per Plate

Chairman — Mr. Arnold W. Wright,  
Kentucky State College, Frankfort,  
Ky.

Theme—"What We Actually Are Doing  
In Our Present Responsibilities"

PART I (Five minutes each)

As Dean of Men In A Public High  
School — Mr. Robert Lawery

As Director of Driver Education —  
Mr. Maurice Strider

As Co-ordinator of School-Com-  
munity Relations — Mrs. Loretta  
Spencer

As A Coursework Teacher of Social  
Studies — Mr. Norman Passmore

As Co-ordinator of School-Indus-  
trial Relations — Mr. J. Andrew  
Bishop

PART II (Not to exceed ten minutes)

Question Period

PART III (five minutes)

In view of the above deliberations:  
Recommendations to the college  
curriculum in the Social Studies —  
Mr. Samuel Wade

PART IV (not to exceed ten minutes)

Response to the deliberations and  
recommendations — Dr. David H.  
Bradford

PART V

Nominations and Elections

PART VI

Selection of a theme for 1955

Adjournment

## VOCATIONAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Room 303 — Central High School

Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 2:30 P.M.

Presiding: Professor A. L. Johnson,  
Louisville, Chairman

Address— Doctor Charles R. Crumpton,  
Professor of Education, University  
of Louisville, Louisville, Kentucky

Discussion — "Trends in Vocational  
Educational Programs for Second-  
ary Schools", Led by Mr. Paul E.  
Harris, Supervisor of Adult and  
Vocational Education, Louisville  
Public Schools

New Business — Election of Officers

Adjournment

N.B.: The vocational department is  
sponsoring a (Live) Exhibit of voc-  
ational classes: Vocational Demon-  
strations — see the various voca-  
tional classes at work in the shops  
of Central High School, rooms  
number 102-108, 208 and 228, and  
rooms 126-131.

## GUIDANCE WORKERS CONFERENCE

Room 203, Central High School

Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 2:30 P.M.

Presiding: Mr. E. W. Whiteside, Padu-  
cah, Kentucky

Opening Remarks — Mr. W. H. Craig,  
Chairman, Covington, Kentucky

Discussion — "Guidance Techniques of  
Today"

Discussants — (1) Mr. Robert S. Law-  
ery—The Use of Tests in Guidance  
(2) Mrs. Lucille Madry — Techni-  
ques of an Interview

(3) Mrs. Lucy P. Larke — Educa-  
tional Guidance and Vocational  
Plans

(4) Mrs. Elizabeth Schaefer—Per-  
sonality Conflicts and Adjustments

Discussion — "The Problem of College  
Selection," Led by Mrs. B. L.  
Douglas

Report — "Vocational Opportunity  
at Central High School" — Mrs. T.  
W. Wade, Louisville; Mr. Charles  
W. Steele, Secretary of Louisville  
Urban League

Friday, April 23, 1954 — 9:00 A.M.

Business: Election of Officers

Discussion — "Plans for 1955 Con-  
vention", Mr. W. H. Craig, Chairman

Adjournment

## *Departmental Sessions of K. T. A.*

### **HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS JOINT DEPARTMENTAL SESSION**

**Friday, April 23, 1954 — 10:00 A.M.  
Room 220, South Wing of Cafeteria  
Central High School**

Presiding: Miss Alice D. Samuels,  
Frankfort, Kentucky

Opening Remarks — Chairman

Audience Singing — Led by Miss Alice  
Holden, Instructor of Music, Du-  
Valle, Jr. High School, Louisville,  
Kentucky

Presentation of Guest Speaker

Guest Speaker — Dr. Blyden Jackson,  
English Department, Fisk Univer-  
sity

Subject — "Teachers in America, — in  
the 'Fifties"

Presentation of Guest Speaker

Guest Speaker— Attorney Edith Samp-  
son, Chicago, Illinois

Subject: Our Global Problems

Discussion and Question Period

Departments Invited: English Teachers,  
Librarians, Social Science Teach-  
ers, Mathematics Teachers, Science,  
Foreign Language Teachers, Voca-  
tional Teachers, Guidance Teach-  
ers, Physical Education Teachers,  
Business Education Teachers, and  
Principals.

### **LIBRARIANS DEPARTMENT**

**Library (Room 316)**

**Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 2:00P .M.**

Presiding — Mr. James R. O'Rourke

Department Theme — "New Horizons  
for Kentucky School Librarians"

"Initiating a Library Program in  
Elementary Schools" — Miss Elea-  
nor Young, Librarian, Lincoln Ins-  
titute

"The Bookmobile Project" — Mrs.  
Madge Bolaware, Librarian, East-  
ern Branch Library, Louisville

"The Activities of A.L.A. and K.L.A."  
— Mr. James R. O'Rourke, Libr-  
arian, Kentucky State College

"The Activities of S.L.A.K." — Mrs.  
Gertrude Wilson, Librarian, Cen-  
tral High School, Louisville

"Audio-Visual Aids and the School  
Library" — Mrs. Thelma Halliday,  
Dunbar High School, Lexington

Buzz Session — "Solve This, If You  
Please"

Moderator — Mrs. Mary Spradling,  
Librarian, Eastern Branch Library,  
Louisville

Discussants — Mrs. Jennie Baker,  
Librarian, Attucks High School;  
Hopkinsville

Mrs. Helen Banks, Librarian, Earl-  
ington

Mrs. Rose Banks, Librarian, Du-  
Valle Jr. High School, Louisville

Mrs. Beulah Bolan, Librarian, Cen-  
tral High School, Louisville

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Lincoln-Grant School, Covington

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Oliver Street High School, Win-  
chester

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son Jr. High School, Louisville

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son Jr. High School, Louisville

Mrs. Gertrude Lively, Librarian,  
Newberg School, Buechel

Mrs. Virginia McDonald, Librarian,  
Douglass High School, Lexington

Mrs. Ada Sowards, Librarian, Davis  
High School, Georgetown

Mrs. Dorothy Wilson, Librarian,  
Mayo - Underwood High School,  
Frankfort

Business Session

### **LIBRARIANS' DINNER MEETING**

**Central High Cafeteria (Room 220)**

**Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 5:00 P.M.**

Master of Ceremonies — Mr. J. Way-  
mon Hackett, Principal, DuValle  
Jr. High School, Louisville

Introduction of Speaker — Dr. Rufus  
B. Atwood, President, Kentucky  
State College

Speaker — Dr. G. Blyden Jackson,  
English Department, Fisk Univer-  
sity, Nashville, Tennessee

Subject — "The Written World"



# Departmental Sessions of K. T. A.

## BUSINESS EDUCATION TEACHERS CONFERENCE

Room 313, Central High School  
Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 2:30 P.M.

Presiding: Mr. Alfred W. Eason, Ky.  
State College, Chairman  
Opening Remarks — Purposes and Objectives of the Department  
Departmental Theme — "Motivating An Awareness of Economic Intelligence As A Factor In Building Better Schools For A Stronger America."  
General Discussion  
Question Session  
Business Meeting — Election of Officers  
Adjournment

## ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

Room 205, Central High School  
Thursday, April 22, 1954—12:00 Noon

Presiding — Miss Alice D. Samuels,  
Chairman  
Devotionals  
Music  
Greetings from the State Department of Education  
Address — Dr. Blyden Jackson, Fisk University; Subject: "Education for Adults"  
Recognition of English Teachers

## HOME ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT

Room 108 — Central High School  
Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 10:00 A.M.

Meeting Called to Order  
Reading of Minutes  
Introduction of Guest Speaker  
Business and Election of Officers  
Announcements and Adjournment  
N.B.: Home Economics Teachers will meet with the Vocational Education Department at 2:30 P.M. in room 203 this afternoon.

## RURAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

C. H. S., Room 220 (South Cafeteria)  
Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 2:30 P.M.

Mrs. Emma B. Bennett, Jeanes Supervisor of Jefferson County Schools,  
Chairman  
Mrs. Frank Johnson, Principal of Crab Orchard School, Co-Chairman  
Mrs. Mayme T. Morris, Teacher in Jefferson Jacobs School, Recorder  
Devotions  
Registration of Visitors  
Panel Discussion — "Working Together For Better Schools", Mr. Frank Johnson, Moderator

1. "What the P.T.A. Can Do to Help the Schools" — Mrs. Grandison Blakey, Pres. of B. T. Washington School P.T.A., Louisville
2. "The Duty of Teachers" — Mrs. Merrelene C. Ballard, Teacher in Worthington School
3. "Moral and Spiritual Values" — Mrs. Courtney H. Thompson, Principal of Dorsey School
4. "Community Interest" — Mrs. Christine T. Brown, Teacher in Forest School
5. "Pupils Response to Interesting Stimuli" — Mrs. Iola Morrow, Elkton, Ky., Jeanes Supervisor
6. "How Churches Help Promote Desirable School Activities" — Mrs. Mayme L. Copeland, State Church Jeanes Supervisor, Hopkinsville, Kentucky
7. "Vocation and Art Make Better Schools" — Mrs. Ethel Lomax Brown, Teacher in Jefferson-town School
8. "Parents' Friendly Visits to Schools Inspire Pupils" — Mrs. Elnora White — Teacher in Griffytown School

Discussion and Questions: Consultants and resource people will assist with various problems.

## *Departmental Sessions of K. T. A.*

### **PRINCIPALS' CONFERENCE**

**Room 230 — Central High School**

**Wednesday, April 21, 1954 — 2:30 P.M.**

Presiding: Mrs. Agnes G. Duncan, Principal, Newburg School

Opening Remarks — Chairman

Invocation — Rev. Clyde Liggin

Discussion — "Organization, A Factor in securing Better Schools for a Stronger America"

Student Organizations:

(1) Future Teachers of America, Mr. Hoyt Harper, Kentucky State College

(2) The Student Library Assistants of Kentucky, Mr. James O'Rourke, Kentucky State College

Professional Organizations:

Department of Principals of K.T.A. (on N.E.A. Basis), Mr. O. J. Brown, Principal, Prestonia School, Head of Department of Elementary Principals (K.E.A.)

Business Session

Adjournment

Solo — Mr. Carl Barbour, Principal of Dunbar and Talbert Schools, Louisville Kentucky

Accompanied by Mr. Leo Diggs, Principal, James Bond School

Symposium

Subject — Better Schools for a Stronger America

(1) Moral and Spiritual Education, A Must in the Development of Better Schools — Mrs. Sara Wellington, Principal, Cane Run School, Jefferson County

(2) Preparation for Integration

A. At Elementary School Level, Mrs. Evelyn Jackson, Principal Douglas School

B. At Secondary Level, Mr. L. J. Twyman, Principal of Ralph Bunche School, Glasgow, Ky.

C. At College Level, Mr. R. B. Atwood, President, Kentucky State College

### **PRINCIPALS' ANNUAL BANQUET**

**Room 220 — Central Cafeteria**

**Friday, April 23, 1954 — 5:30 P.M.**

Presiding: Mrs. Agnes Duncan

Invocation — Rev. A. R. Lasley, President, K.T.A.

Presentation of Guest Speaker — Miss Alice Samuels, Principal, Mayo-Underwood School, Frankfort, Ky.

Guest Speaker — Mrs. Jane Morrow Spaulding, Washington, D.C.

Informal Discussion

Group Singing — Led by Mr. Carl Barbour

### **PRINCIPALS'**

### **LUNCHEON MEETING**

**Thursday, April 22, 1954 — 11:30 A.M.**

**Tour of School Building — 11:30-12:00**

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Invocation — Mr. Robert Estes, Melbourne Heights School

Greetings — Mr. Richard VanHoose, Superintendent of Jefferson County Schools

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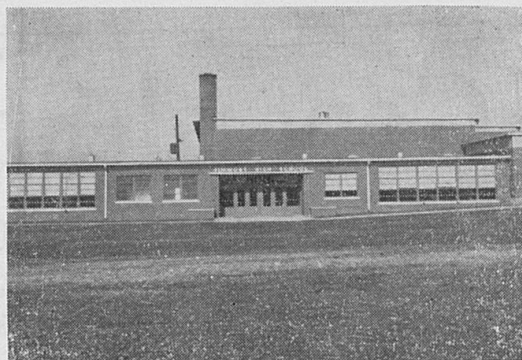
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5. Be careful. Keep the corners of your mouth turned up. Hide your pains, worries, and disappointments under a pleasant smile.
6. Preserve an open mind on all debatable questions. Discuss but don't argue. It is the mark of superior minds to disagree and yet be friendly.
7. Let your virtues, if you have any, speak for themselves and refuse to talk of another's vices. Discourage gossip. Make it a rule to say nothing unless it is something good.
8. Be careful of others' feelings. Wit and humor at the other fellow's expense are rarely worth the effort and may hurt where least expected.
9. Pay no attention to illnatured remarks about you; simply live so that nobody will believe them.
10. Don't be too anxious about getting your just dues. Do your work, be patient, keep your disposition sweet, forget self, and you will be respected and rewarded.

**WILLARD E. GIVENS**  
Retired NEA Executive Secretary

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