

Park College Family

John A. McAfee's Sons,

CORRESPONDENCE TITLE

For Training Christian Workers

LOWELL M. MCAFEE,
Secretary.

HOWARD B. MCAFEE,
Business Manager and Treasurer.

Established 1875.

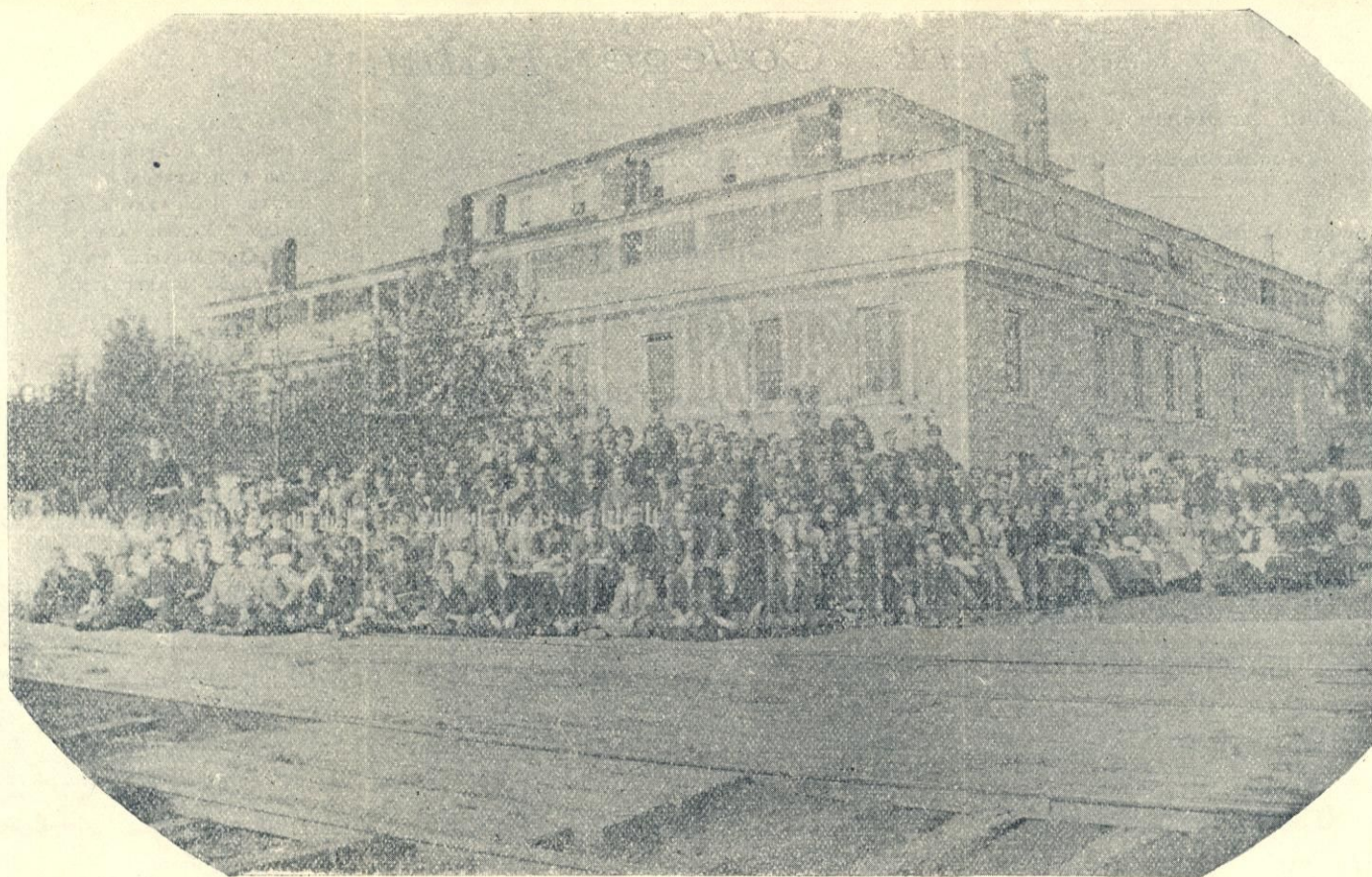
MRS. JOHN A. MCAFEE.
MISS HELEN B. MCAFEE, A. B.,
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REV. LAPSLEY A. MCAFEE, A. M.,
REV. CLELAND B. MCAFEE, PH. D.,
JOS. ERNEST MCAFEE, A. M.

Parkville, Mo. 19th Jan'y 1899.

Dear Mr. McNaughton -

I do not know whether Kingston flock has a shepherd yet or not, hence I write to you. After all, elders are the real shepherds, the church under Christ. I only wish the pastor of my own church were as efficient as the session. I write about two things: 1. We want the prayers of your church next Sabbath and on Thursday the 26th for the College. They are our church's education days. I am sending you some slips that will help to make your prayer effective.

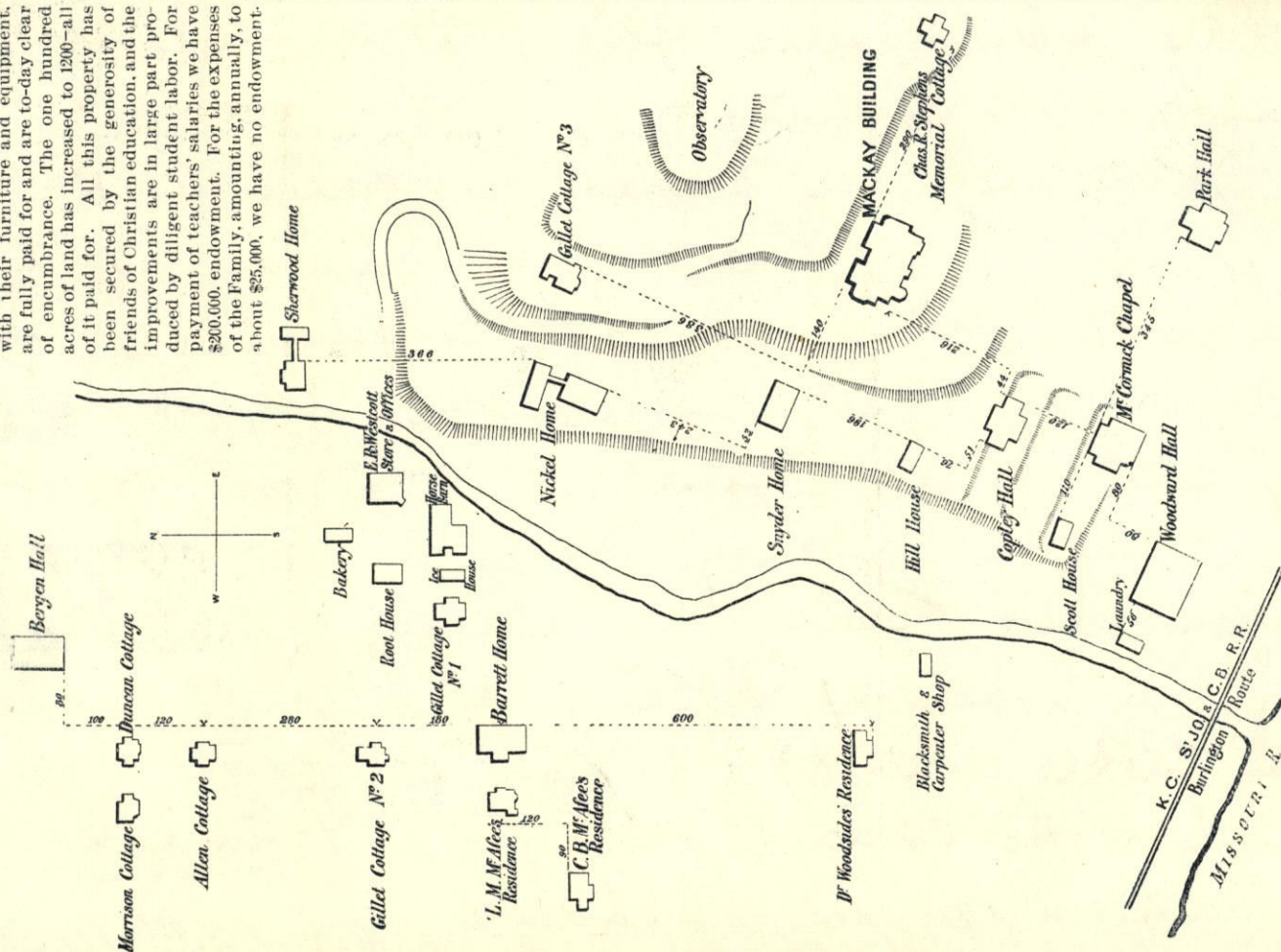
2. What are your prospects for Foreign Mission giving this year? Only three or four churches in the Presbytery were on the wrong side of the column last year and failed to give for mission. Kingston, however, was one, and I am sure it was not by your wish. Could we be of any help in holding a service for you and having an offering made? Or is there any way whereby I could help you? Seven of our young people want to go to the foreign field this year. It all depends on the churches doing their part in giving. Let me hear from you, please. Cordially Cleland B. McAfee.



This is an historic building. Here Park College was born. For more than fifteen years through toil, hardships and poverty it was the centre of college life and activity.

April 12th, 1875 Dr. and Mrs. McAfee, with seventeen students entered upon the work of converting the building into a Home and College building. May 12th, 1875 the first recitations were held. As rapidly as rooms could be fitted up the number of students increased. The picture is reproduced from a faded photograph taken in 1882. It represents all there was of Park College at that time. This building with one hundred acres of land, donated by Col. Geo. S. Park, constituted the entire property and endowment after seven years of hard work.

This sketch, made by our student surveyors, shows number and position of our buildings. All these buildings, with their furniture and equipment, are fully paid for and are to-day clear of encumbrance. The one hundred acres of land has increased to 1200—all of it paid for. All this property has been secured by the generosity of friends of Christian education, and the improvements are in large part produced by diligent student labor. For payment of teachers' salaries we have \$200,000. endowment. For the expenses of the Family, amounting, annually, to about \$25,000, we have no endowment.



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Mr. John W. Haughton,
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