

State College of Kentucky,

Jas. K. Patterson, Ph., D., LL. D., President.

LEXINGTON, Ky., March 17 1903.

My dear Miss Offutt:-

My attention has been called to the fact that young women are frequently found in and about the gymnasium building during hours when they are not undergoing instruction.

I respectfully bring this to your notice that you may take the necessary steps to correct the evil.

I have also been advised that girls undergoing training for physical culture and practice wear garments of a decidedly masculine character to and from the gymnasium.

In our physical training we may undoubtedly spoil the women and yet fail to make men of them.

Yours truly,

State College of Kentucky,

Jas. K. Patterson, Ph., D., LL. D., President.

LEXINGTON, KY., March 17, 1903.

My dear Mr. Mustaine,

The presence of male students in and about the gymnasium buildings while athletic instruction and practice for the girls are going on has become a matter of notoriety and is subjecting the College authorities to unfavorable criticism

Their presence is a gross impropriety and I call upon you to devise means for its prevention.

Yours truly,

STATE COLLEGE OF KENTUCKY

JAS. K. PATTERSON, LL. D., President

Department of Gymnastics

W. W. H. MUSTAINE, Physical Director  
Lexington, Ky.

March 18th, 1903.

Pres. Jas. K. Patterson,  
State College.

Dear Sir;-

Your communication of March 17th is received. It is my opinion that there is no recent additional cause for complaint, such as has been made to you, in regard to the presence of male students in and around the gymnasium during the girls' hours. I do not think the boys have interfered within the past few days or weeks more than at any time since the establishment of the book store and post office in one of the rooms of the building. It <sup>is</sup> practically impossible for me to keep boys out when I cannot keep doors locked.

However, I shall keep closer watch during the practice of the girls, ascertain who the offenders are, and report same to you promptly.

Trusting nothing will occur to cause further complaint, I am

Yours truly,

W. W. H. Mustaine

State College of Kentucky,

Jas. K. Patterson, Ph., D., LL. D., President.

LEXINGTON, KY., March 30, 1903.

Mr. W.H. Mustaine,  
Physical Director,  
A. & M. College.

Dear Sir:-

I have been informed that in commenting upon the regulations of the Board of Trustees regarding eligibility of students on teams for playing match games and the interpretations of these regulations by the Executive Committee, you have expressed the opinion and still express the opinion in the presence of students that their interpretation rests with me and that I can modify and interpret them within my discretion - thus throwing the responsibility <sup>of including or excluding players</sup> entirely upon me. If this be so it is both unjust and unkind. Such utterances are calculated to foment discontent and disorder.

The Executive Committee proposed to leave the interpretation of the rules to me. I declined the responsibility and insisted that the Executive Committee interpret them. This they did. The record determines the eligibility under the limitations set forth in the interpretation of the Committee. I cannot assume to say that 2 and 2 make 5 as you seem to wish me to do.

Yours truly,

June, 1907

We the undersigned students of the State College, realizing that the present method of providing funds for the support of athletics (whether in or out-door) is unsatisfactory, in that the amount raised is entirely inadequate and the burden of it falls upon a very few, respectfully ask that you so amend the regulation pertaining to "Gymnasium Fee" that no matriculate in the College be exempt from the payment of same, and that the fund thus constituted be devoted exclusively to Athletics - three-fifths being applied to the support of the Gymnasium and two-fifths being turned over to the Athletic Association for the support of Out-Door Athletics.

Under such a ruling, three (\$3.00) dollars of the five (\$5.00) dollar fee collected would go to support the Gymnasium and two (\$2.00) dollars to out-door athletics.

If this rule had been in effect this year the College would have realized from \$300.00 to \$500.00 more for the Gymnasium than was received under the present system.

Samuel B. Ingram  
Henry S. Sutt  
Chas. J. McPherson  
Lowry Smith  
Omar W. Hawall  
D. H. Allard  
F. R. Sullivan  
R. A. Case  
A. D. Deady  
R. H. Kelly  
F. W. Rankin  
J. C. Hamilton Jr.  
L. B. Brown

R. C. Sappington  
J. C. Newman  
R. C. Magee  
O. R. Kroell  
H. W. Wilson  
J. O. Mail Jr.  
B. Thomas  
F. H. Danvers  
H. W. West  
J. A. Shaw  
F. Johnston  
J. C. Beatty  
F. M. Stone  
C. E. Grimes  
J. H. Shipp

D. C. Mahan  
Geo. C. Montgomery  
W. G. Downing, Jr.  
T. H. Baker  
Harry Prather  
W. H. South  
J. M. Gross  
H. E. Freeman  
F. G. Johnson  
H. F. Adams  
H. B. Edwards  
E. H. Clime  
C. B. Owens  
W. H. Grady  
A. S. Dietrich  
H. J. Tomlinson  
H. P. Ingalls  
C. R. Wallis

H. L. Robinson  
H. H. Megee  
H. H. Heruman  
Henry B. Darling  
L. E. Baumgardner  
Chas. A. Bickel  
Jus. E. Matthews  
C. C. Stackhouse  
R. C. Butner  
H. S. Fry  
Eugene Willard  
~~Ward~~  
L. E. Nollan  
E. F. Bowling  
A. Jenkins  
P. C. Hunter  
H. P. Chapman  
J. J. Morris  
R. C. Terrell  
Philip Dickson

J. J. Yumelley  
H. Ray Moore  
Bess Snow  
F. Evelyn Lillett  
Morah Williamson  
Alta Thompson  
Sarah Clark  
Grace Coon  
Mamie Kelly  
Inga W. Jones  
Marion Campbell  
Wendy Whitfield  
Gertrude Ring  
Miriam Harris  
Alice C. Pence  
Elaine C. McLaw  
Minnie Lee Dodd  
Elizabeth Wallis  
Rita Wood  
Florence Maddocks  
Susie Gilbert  
E. M. Yumelley  
Bess Goggin  
Anna Ryan  
Anna Dallas

W. Wilkie  
C. H. Scott  
O. W. Drago  
Elizabeth Mahoney  
+ teacher in school  
Nancy B. Buford  
Grace B. Bullock  
Grace T. Egg  
May Clare Kendrick  
Virginia Blythe  
Elsie Greathouse  
William Austin  
Ruth M. Bryan  
Bessie Lee Aldham  
A. A. Gordon, County Appraiser  
R. Wiley  
G. Wilkes  
H. B. Smith app.  
~~E. Wilkes~~  
J. J. Rankin  
M. M. Downsey  
H. H. Heger app.

E. R. Rauson App.  
H. J. Schoene App.  
H. Woosley App.  
G. H. Wilson  
W. E. Gray App.  
G. Clay Goodloe  
D. P. Brannon app.  
J. W. English app.  
R. H. Hammett app.  
Harry C. app.  
S. T. Lee app.  
C. H. Young  
R. R. Tahaferro -  
J. M. Murphy

E. R. Good -  
M. G. Fields  
J. G. Bassiday,  
W. F. Logan  
W. P. Embank

J. D. Danaherty  
Hal Nicholls  
Harkins, J. H. App.  
H. W. Becker appointed  
D. Summer app.  
Capt. W. C. Kelly,  
L. B. W. Allen

C. W. Schultz  
J. S. McCauley app.  
H. J. Winkler  
F. B. Paullin.  
Joett Gardner.  
P. D. A. John  
H. J. Montgomery  
E. M. Johnston  
J. M. Forbes  
E. P. Carney  
D. F. Waide App.  
A. J. Lewis App.  
C. H. Sullivan app.  
E. C. McKey app.  
H. H. Gaudin



J. White Gwyn  
Chas. T. Davidson  
Dicky Anderson.  
Clay <sup>per</sup> Sutherland.

John McChord Jr.  
Gas. B. Sprake  
T. P. Pinkerton.

J. P. Frye. app.  
M. P. Cook  
A. L. Doucay

H. E. Thrasher,  
H. P. Deering  
T. G. Duwall

H. W. Johnston  
J. H. Muir app.  
J. P. Malloy Jr.

E. F. Baird.  
J. G. Allen.  
J. C. Ferry.

W. J. Keill  
E. L. Rees

H. S. Weare

L. B. Pierce

R. H. Reese  
H. D. Hedger

J. Murray  
H. C. Kirkend

W. L. Gooding  
L. S. Pierce  
D. J. Dodd

E. C. Amman  
G. W. Pickels

D. M. Kirby

S. E. Cawell.  
F. P. Giltner.

R. C. Hoagland.

R. L. Acker

D. C. Estill

Gas. G. Giltner.  
Allen H. Roden.

S. S. Elam.	Leo Brewer
J. G. Lewis	Chas. E. Schoultz.
R. M. Taylor	J. M. Sprague
E. C. Vaughan.	A. M. Mathers
A. B. Cran	Wm Cutchou
A. W. Steele.	S. J. Jackson
J. B. Trice Jr.	J. D. Lancaster
W. P. Kelley	
H. C. [unclear]	T. M. Smith
R. S. Hart, Jr.	B. B. House
Graham Edgar.	E. B. Stiles.
Rodes A. Amos	J. B. Woods
	J. D. McFarquhar
	P. Reule.
H. S. Amos (County Opp)	
H. W. Taylor.	H. R. Coleman.
O. J. Stephens.	J. F. Sandeher.
W. R. Wallace	J. C. Shelby
H. E. Stearns	
C. W. Ham.	
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STATE COLLEGE OF KENTUCKY

JAS. K. PATTERSON, PRESIDENT

DEPARTMENT OF GYMNASTICS

W. W. H. MUSTAINE, PHYSICAL DIRECTOR  
LEXINGTON, KY.

March 17th, 1905.

Dear President Patterson;-

The following is a list of men composing the gymnasium  
team;

- Archdeacon, J. J.
- Spears, H. D.
- Milligan, G. S.
- ✓ Carney, E. D.
- ✓ Crosthwaite, J. S.
- Shanklin,
- ✓ Austin,
- Young, R. G.
- ✓ Barbee, R. G.

I have not inquired as to the grades of all the men;  
those whom I have asked have the required standing. I  
shall ascertain the grades of the others before allowing  
them to compete. o

Yours very truly,

*W. W. H. Mustaine*

March 16, 1905.

My Dear Prof. Patterson;

The per cent of absentees at the gymnasium is rather larger than usual. The following is a list:

First year.

Atkins, Wakefield,  
Bodkie, Cabrera,  
Cress. T T 8  
Durham  
Ellis  
Godwin  
James  
Kinkead  
✓ Mills  
Mosby, W. E.  
Nunnally, S. P.  
Saunders,  
Staples,  
Taylor,  
Tuttle,  
Wickersham

Second year.

Alcorn ✓  
Bewlay ✓  
✓ Bowman  
Coons ✓  
✓ Dumm  
Erdwan ✓  
✓ Greathouse, W. M.  
Hamilton.  
Hudson. ✓  
Kearney. ✓  
Johnson. ✓  
✓ Simmons, A.  
Hells E. ✓  
White B. P.  
White O.  
Worthington, E. F. ✓  
✓ Cretmore.  
Wilcox. ✓

Yrs Truly  
W. W. H. Mustaine

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J.P.HOBSON.  
JUDGES,  
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THOMAS H.PAYNTER,  
W.E.SETTLE,  
H.S.BARKER,  
T.J.NUNN,  
JAS.E.CANTRILL.



·COURT OF APPEALS OF KENTUCKY·

·FRANKFORT· Oct. 26, 1905.

Pres't James K. Patterson,  
Lexington, Ky.

My dear President:-

Your letter of the 23rd at hand. It was forwarded to me from Louisville; hence my delay in answering.

The resolution in regard to the dances by the students in the gymnasium was passed by the Board for the purpose of being enforced, and the faculty ought to enforce it, and, if necessary to that end, suspend the dances altogether. I assume that you have addressed the letter I received to each of the Board, and that you will be guided by a majority opinion. If you have not adopted this course, I suggest that you do.

Of course, we ought not to act tyrannically, or with unreasonable harshness in the matter, but it is time that the students should understand that the orders of the Board are to be obeyed. It might not be a bad idea to read the resolution again to the students at chapel, and inform them that, unless it is obeyed, the dances thereafter will be permanently discontinued. This will insure that they have not been taken by surprise, and that their disobedience thereafter is wilful.

With kindest regards, I am,

Very truly your friend,

*Henry S. Barker*

C.C. M<sup>o</sup> CHORD, 2<sup>ND</sup> DIST. CHAIRMAN.  
SPRINGFIELD, KY.  
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PADUCAH, KY.  
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WILLIAMSBURG, KY.  
MOSES R. GLENN, SECRETARY.

THE RAILROAD COMMISSION,

FRANKFORT, KY. Oct. 31st. 1905.

President James K. Patterson,  
Lexington, Ky.

Dear Sir:-

I received your letter several days since, enclosing order made by the Board of Trustees, in regard to dances in the Gymnaseum Building. I am decidedly of the opinion that unless the order of the Trustees be adhered to, that the dances should be discontinued. Of course you being directly connected with the institution, your judgment in the matter is far better than that of any member of the Board, and I would feel very much inclined to favor that which you think best, but it seems to me, without having given the matter much thought, that if the young ladies and young gentlemen of the City of Lexington, and the adjoining country, are allowed to attend these dances ~~at~~ the Gymnaseun would soon be regarded as a free dancing hall, and our girls at the college would perhaps form the acquaintance of young men, who would not be the kind of society that their parents would approve of. I had hoped to come to Lexington on this trip, but I have some pressing business which calls me home immediately after our adjournment, so I will have to defer my visit until the next time I come to Frankfort. I hope my daughter and niece are getting along nicely. Each of them report that they are delighted with Patterson Hall, and the school.

Very truly yours,

*M. D. Ferguson*