Kansas City Veterinary College: Extracurricular Activities { 1891-1918}



The KCVC Brass Band



THE COLLEGE BAND

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Top Row, from left: E.M. Liljeberg, 2nd Bass; C.L. Pope, 2nd Bass; Pazil C. Payne, 2nd Bass & Director; J. G. Wattenberg, 2nd Bass; J. H. Brown, 1st Bass

Middle Row: B.A. Utter, 2nd Tenor; J.L. Skiles, 2nd Tenor; R.F. Anderson, 1st Bass; F.B. Erwin, 1st Bass; P.E. Smith, 1st Bass

Bottom Row: F.W. Vancura, 2nd Tenor; H.G. Beauman, 1st Tenor; C.L. Ury, 1st Tenor; G.E. Bergland, 1st Tenor



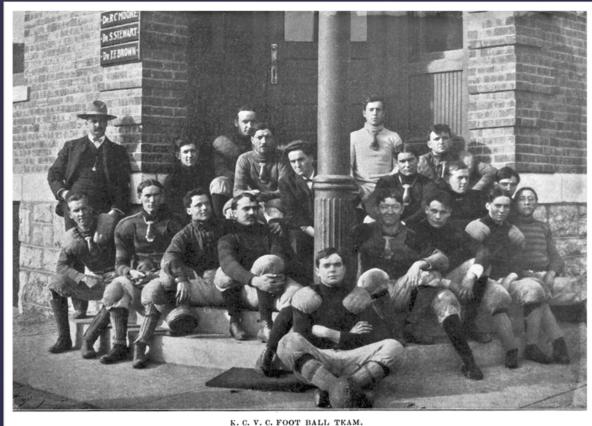
KCVC Glee Club, 1914

A Young Men's Christian Association (YMCA) was organized on December 12, 1905, at the KCVC with the activities supervised by the Central YMCA. This organization continued as a student organization until 1912 when the College authorized employment of a full time secretary, B. Ward Smith, who had a B.Sc. degree from Coe College, Iowa. The YMCA promoted good fellowship among the students, assisted new students in getting acquainted, and in finding boarding places and rooms. It held regular meetings at which prominent clerical, professional and business men of the city gave helpful and instructive presentations. (Lee 1956).

Young Men's Christian Association

An athletic association was organized in 1904 and functioned through the remaining years of the operation of the College (Lee 1956). According to the KCVC Quarterly Bulletin No. 17, "the KCVC football squad played their first game of the season on October 19, 1907, with Kansas State Agricultural College (KSAC) at Manhattan, Kansas. The outcome was a defeat at the hands of the "Farmers," but the game proved several excellent qualities in the Veterinary Squad. They were outclassed in endurance and after the first ten minutes of play it was only by stubborn and incessant defense that the score was held to 33-0. The game was an ideal one with regard to wrangling and slugging, there being no disturbance during the entire game." In 1910, a salaried athletic director was employed to direct all of the College athletics which included football, basketball, volley ball, hand ball, wrestling, and boxing. In 1910, the College built a spacious gymnasium in the auditorium building that had modern apparatus and equipment essential for scientific physical training.

Athletic Association



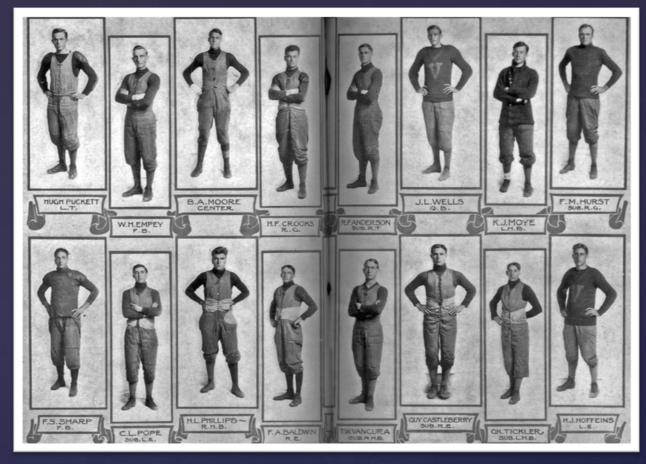


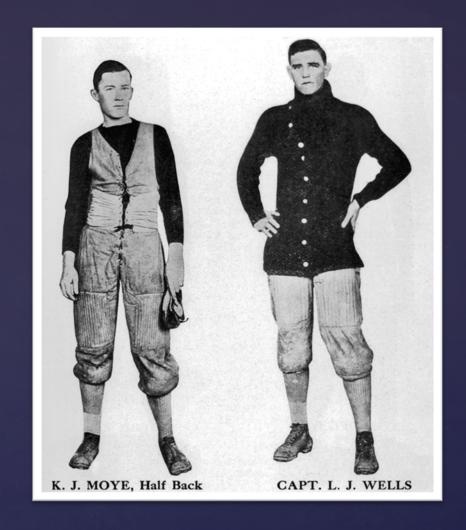
K. C. V. C. FOOT BALL SQUAD 1906-7.



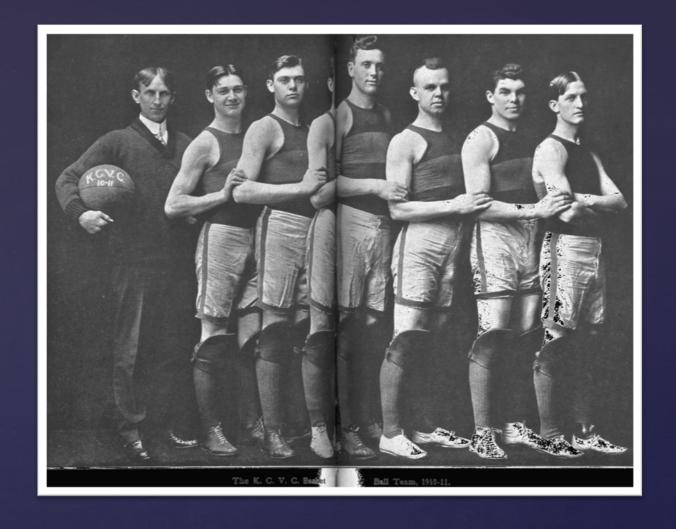
Top Row, from left: Hugh Puckett, W.H. Empey, B.A. Moore, H.F. Crooks, R.F. Anderson, J.L. Wells, K.J. Moye, F.H. Hurst

Bottom Row: F.S. Sharp, C.L. Pope, H.L. Phillips, F.A. Baldwin, T.W. Vancura, Guy Castleberry, O.K. Tickler, H.J. Hoffeins

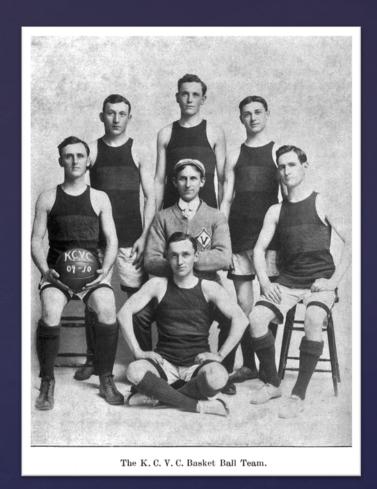




K.J. Moye & L.J. Wells, 1914



KCVC Basketball Team, 1910



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