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The Central District Physical Education Convention will be held in Wichita in 1940. To Kansas will come the privilege and responsibility of entertaining the Central District organization next year. It will mean a lot of work for the Kansas Association, but it should also act as a stimulus and incentive to physical and health education in Kansas. Therefore it is necessary for every member of the K.H. & P.E.A. to aid in every way possible to make this a memorable occasion.

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## Notes on the State Convention

The officers and council members elected to guide the K.H. & P.E.A. for the coming year are:

Pres.: Oran Shearer, Wichita.

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Members-at-Large on the State Council:

Mildred Huddleston, Topeka, Earl Morrison, Salina, Katherine Geyer, Manhattan, Eva Lyman, Earl Morris, Hays.

Dr. J. B. Nash was the outstanding speaker of the Convention. He was scheduled for two talks and was kind enough to speak at a third meeting in place of Dean Schwegler who was prevented from coming because of illness. Dr. Nash's talks will be reviewed in later issues of the Bulletin.

Many people expressed disappointment that Dean Schwegler was unable to appear on account of illness as he is an unusually interesting and worthwhile speaker.

All previous attendance records of the K.H. & P.E.A. state convention were topped by the attendance at McPherson. Nearly 200 people registered for the meetings and the number of students attending is steadily increasing. This fact is encouraging and should lead to an increasing teacher membership as these students get out into the field.

The present membership of the Association is 239. Of these 68 are students and 171 are teachers in the field. This is the largest membership the Association

has ever had and represents a healthy increase over last year.

Mr. E. R. Sheldon represented the office of the State Superintendent of Education in the absence of Supt. McClen-ny who was prevented from attending because of a meeting of the State Board of Education. The paper read by Mr. Sheldon was an excellent presentation of the value of physical education in an educational program. It was very gratifying to know that the State Superintendent has such an attitude toward the physical education program.

The Program Committee and section chairmen deserve a great deal of commendation for the splendid group of speakers which they secured for this convention. All section meetings were very well attended and the programs were of a high order.

Miss Helen Hirni did a fine job as Convention Manager. That job is always a long, hard one full of vexing details. This Convention moved along smoothly and on schedule. The printed program with the information which it contained was worthy of special mention.

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Congratulations are due to Henry Sherk for his advancement from Director of Physical Education of the Junction City High School to the larger position of Director for all of the city schools. He is to supervise a program of physical education for all of the schools.

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## Change of Address

The Bulletin Editor is desirous that all members shall receive their copy regularly. However, we have no certain means of knowing of changes of address unless you inform us of them. We ask that you do this promptly giving both the old address and the new one. Please do this promptly! Most such changes will come next fall, but we are mentioning this now, so that you may be reminded to send in the changes as soon as you know what your new address will be.

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