

ELBOW-TO-ELBOW

University school alumni

reunite in Lexington



University School was a grand experiment in education. Teachers were collected purposely from a number of colleges to represent diverse philosophies of education espoused in the 1920s. Those divergent views were melded eventually into a program that continued for 44 years and yielded a significant number of high achievers.

The training school, as it was called, was housed in the current Taylor Education Building across Limestone Road from the UK Administration Building. What a building it was in 1920! It was constructed with a \$150,000 gift from the general education board of New York City and a \$150,000 appropriation from the Kentucky Legislature. It was located on a 14 acre site that was donated by the city of Lexington. The city school board