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SPECIAL COURSES.

The one hundred fifty-eight students entering for the special winter classes are divided as follows: Creamery management, 54; general agriculture, (first year) 69; general agriculture, (second year) 22; fruit course, 13. The new features in general

The new features in general agriculture are quite remarkable. The first is the work in the carpenter and blacksmith shops and every student is anxious for this work. The second is the gymnasium work, three hours a week under Director Brewer. This drill comes at two o'clock and though it is an entirely new departure and not much can be said as yet concerning it, many of the boys are anxious to take the work.

Twenty men are just about equally divided between farm crops at eight o'clock, and the dairy.

This week these men will have blacksmith and carpenter work from 10-12, advanced stock judging from 1-3, and veterinary at 3. Out of a total of eighty men in the same course last year, twenty-two have returned for the advanced work.

In the creamery course it has been arranged to give each one instruction during two days in the week on gathered cream. Four of last year's class are back again for the work this winter.

The fruit course numbers thirteen which is larger than for several years and the class has started off very nicely.

THE BOHUMIR KRYL CO.

If you wish to spend an enjoyable evening you should hear the Bohumir Kryl Co. on Friday evening, Jan. 12th, in the college armory. The cornetist, Bohumir Kryl, is the sensation of two continents. He is an artist of exceptional ability, plays with ease and grace, and possesses the rare ability to produce notes from a cornet as soft and sweet as those from a violin.

The entertainment will consist of instrumental music, singing and impersonation and promises to be one of the best of the season.

Single admission will be 35 cents. Sufficient seating room will be provided for all.

'89.

Howard Evarts Weed, of the above class, was married on Tuesday, December 26, to Miss Margaret Lyle Simpson, of New Orleans, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Robert J. R. Osborne. Mr. and Mrs. Weed will be at home after June 1, 1906, Rogers Park, Chicago.

'02.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Garfield announce the marriage of their daughter, Deborah, to Mr. Arthur J. Decker, on Wednesday, Dec. 27, at Grand Rapids. Both the contracting parties were with the above class, leaving college in their junior year. The young people will be at home after Jan. 15 at Columbus, O.



KENYON L. BUTTERFIELD MARKED SUCCESS OF AN

M. A. C. MAN.

Three years ago, Kenyon L. Butterfield ('91) was elected president of the Rhode Island Agricultural college. On Tuesday last, so marked has been his success in Rhode Island, he was unanimously chosen to the presidency of the Massachusetts Agricultural col-lege. To Mr. Butterfield's many friends at M. A. C. this advancement will come as no surprise, for they have confidently awaited and expected the recognition which they knew must come and which will come in increasing measure as the years pass. But it is nevertheless a source of peculiar pleasure to them that it has come so promptly and in such generous form.

It is always a matter for which good and pratriotic men felicitate themselves and the body politic to which they belong when the man and the work for which he is especially fitted are brought together. This is what has occurred in the present instance and it is therefore with no mere local pride that we sincerely and heartily congratulate not only the Massachusetts school and Mr. Butterfield, but also ourselves and the country in general. There will be good work done at the Massachusetts Agricultural College under Mr. Butterfield. Not only will it maintain the honorable traditions of its past history, but it will reach outward and forward, keeping step with the vanguard of progress and development in agricultural education.

Mr. Butterfield's career should be a guide and an incentive to all our students. It is a record of steady, methodical, persistent work, directed toward a definite purpose and guided by a clear head and an honest heart. Since his graduation in 1891, and even before, he has devoted himself and all his energies to a thorough and intimate acquaintance with all the problems of rural life on the social and educational side; and to that end no labor has been too arduous, no detail to trivial. His opportunities, 100, for observation and investigation in this field, have been remarkably favorable.

As editor of the Grange Visitor, as field agent of the Michigan Agricultural College, as superintendent of the Farmers' Institutes of Michigan, and as lecturer on Rural Sociology in the University of Michigan, he has come into a thorough knowledge of, and sympathy with, the American farmer, his capabilities and his needs, such as only the smallest number of men in America possess. That he has made the best and wisest use of his opportunities, gathering a full garner of observations and conclusions, is shown by the fact that he was selected by the Hon. Carroll D. Wright to prepare for the department of economics and sociology in the Carnegie Institution at Wa-hington an economic history of agriculture in the United States.

To the earnest and capable workman there is no joy comparable to the joy of a worthy task worthily accomplished. Such joy the old Alma Mater wishes and confidently predicts for this one among the foremost of her sons. II. E.

AMERICAN FEDERATION OF AGRICULTURAL STU-DENTS.

The birth of the American Federation of Agricultural students was nearly simultaneous with that of the International Livestock exposition and like the International it has been growing rapidly each year since.

The purpose of its organization was for the advancement of agricultural interests and good fellowship among the agricultural colleges of the United States and Canada.

Delegates from the colleges met Tuesday, Dec. 19, in the Exchange building at the Stock yards and discussed ways and means for the advancement of the Federation. It was voted that a banquet be held next year and lots were drawn by the remaining six colleges who have not had charge of the management of the Federation to see which one should have the banquet in charge for next year. Nebraska was the fortunate one with Ontario as the reserve college.

After the meeting the delegates adjourned to the dining hall to complete the decorations for the banquet.

About 2co students assembled in the evening at the tastily decorated Exchange building dining hall for the first banquet of the Federation. The hall was decorated with college banners and the way each college supported their flag and colors in yelling was something to gladden the heart of any college man.

M. A. C. was represented on the program by a toast to "The Domestic science Graduate" by C. A. Wilson.

The banquet was declared by all to be a splendid success. Purdue deserves great praise for the success of the meetings this year and we shall look forward with pleasure to next year's banquet.

ALUMNI.

No. 16

'90. E. J. Rowley of O'ds, Alberta, Canada, sends in his subscription to the RECORD. He states that the Alberta winter so far has been fine and open. Just barely enough snow for sleighing. Hotel doors are open in middle of the day with, of course, a small fire. Building going on in different towns. They have had only one week of storm and very cold weather, and no rain since September. He also states that Alberta has a greatly increased crop of fall wheat and over four million pounds of beet sugar was made in South Alberta during the season.

'99.

The marriage of Miss Tithie L. Bowerman to Sarles Fred Edwards, of Guelph, Ont., was solemnized at S o'clock Tuesday night at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. S. M. Bowerman, 306 Capitol ave. n. The wedding was a very quiet home affair, witnessed by the immediate relatives and intimate friends of the bride and groom. Rev. E. M. Lake performed the ceremony. Mr. Edwards graduated with the class of '99, and after spending several years as assistant in Bacteriology at M. A. C. pursued work at the university along his chosen line. The bride was also a student in the College for several terms. Among the out-of-town guests were C. P. Reynolds, (with 'o2) and wife, (May Ross, with '03), of Chicago. The young people leave soon for their home in Guelph, Ont., where "Jack" has recently accepted the position of Professor of Bacteriology in the Ontario Agricultural College. The young people certainly have the best wishes of their many M. A. C. friends.

'05.

C. A. Stimpson, '05, has accepted a position with the Union Pacific railroad, and began work in the field the day after Christmas. There are ten men in his party, who are charged with retracing an old line preparatory to building a second track from Point of Rocks to Rock Springs, Wyoming. Zero weather is the rule for that country, and the wind blows 365 days in the year. Mr. Stimpson's address is Cheyenne, Wyoming, care Resident Engineer, U. P. Ry.

'05.

Mr. Orange B. Burrell, of South Haven, and Miss Bessie Immel were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, West Bend, Wis., New Year's evening. Mr. Burrell who graduated with the above class, was one of our best track and indoor men the past year, having been a member of the 1905 championship relay team. The bride was a special student the past term. Mr. Burrell is with the H. S. White View Co. The RECORD extends congratulations. THE M. A. C. RECORD.

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TUESDA1, 7.1.N. 9, 1906.

T THE beginning of the winter term we are again asking of the students and faculty hearty co-operation in the work of the RECORD. We believe those among our students who most enjoy the college paper are those who occasionally furnish matter for its pages. Please bear in mind that items from the students are always greatly appreciated. It is earnestly hoped that each society editor will see to it that reports of all parties and other society matters of interest are reported. Suggestions and kindly criticism are always welcome as in this way we can best learn how to make of the RECORD what it should be.

ATHLETICS.

The following basket ball schedule has been arranged, and will be submitted to the faculty for consideration at its next meeting:

Jan. 18, Adrian College at M. A. C.

Jan. 27, Flint School for Deaf at M. A. C. Feb 2, Flint School for Deaf at

Flint.

Feb. 3, Mt. Pleasant Normal at M. A. C.

Feb. 8, Adrian College at Adrian. Feb. 9, Ann Arbor, U. of M. Y. M. C. A. at M. A. C.

Feb. 16, Mt. Pleasant at Mt. Pleasant.

Feb. 17, Alma College at Alma. March 2, Alma College at M. A. C.

March 3, Ann Arbor at Ann Arbor.

Dual meets have been arranged with Olivet for Feb. 22 and with Alma for March 2. It is expected that Olivet will bring a basket ball team on Feb. 22.

Inter-class games in both basketball and indoor baseball will begin this week, the plan being to play the class games on the same date as the intercollegiate games are played, thus lengthening the entertainment. A hand ball tournament is planned for about the middle of the term.

The new gym, class organized for the special course students meets from two to three o'clock on Monday, Wednesday and Fridays. Sixty have reported for this drill and and all seem deeply interested. These periods will be given up to general class work and will be made an hour of recreation rather than work. The specials have also organized a basket-ball team and will play in the interclass schedule.

Y. M. C. A.

The past week has been one of activity in the Y. M. C. A. The religious meetings have begun with an interest that promises well for the winter term. It is an inspiration to see every chair in the association filled and forty men with "standing room only" in the Thursday evening meeting, and that was the condition last week. In this meeting Mr. O. K. White took for his subject, "The Temptations of the College Man," and was followed by Mr. Campbell, R. A. Small, and B. G. Edgerton. It is gratifying to note the interest the special students are taking in the work, over fifty being present at this meeting.

Sunday afternoon a meeting of the winter term students was called in the Y. M. C. A. in which an address was given by Dr. Waterman in the interest of Bible study. Mr. Fisk gave the men an address of welcome to the Y. M. C. A. after which a class was organized in "The Life of Christ" to be led by Prof. C. D. Smith. Twenty-seven men were enrolled and it is hoped that many more will find time to take this work. The class will meet in the Y. M. C. A. room at 2:30 every Sunday during the next six weeks,

W. L. Rogers of Ann Arbor was at the college Saturday and Sunday in the interest of the Student Volunteer Conference to be held in Nashville Feb. 28 - March 4. Sunday evening Mrs. Rogers spoke before a chapel full of people on the purpose of this convention, explaining what was in store for all who will be so fortunate as to attend this gathering of the world's christian workers. This was one of the best attended and most interesting of the union meetings held this school year. The selection by the male quartet was appreciated by all.

A choir of young women and men of the college will conduct the singing in the Sunday evening meetings hereafter. This will be a great help to the services.

Next Sunday evening Mr. Thos, Gunson will be the speaker in the Union meeting. Mr. Gunson always commands the attention of M. A. C. audiences and will have something of interest next Sunday.

Rev. C. E. Thomas preached in chapel Sunday morning, taking as his subject, the personal work of Andrew. He compared Andrew to Peter, the world's little knowledge of the farmer and the broader knowledge concerning the latter. Andrew's work seemed small and unimportant but it was the sort of work that has always accomplished the most good in the world. Mr. Thomas' sermons are always appreciated at the College.

The first missionary class of the year was organized Sunday. The New Era in the Philippines is the text book of the class and will be studied for eight weeks. Another class in "Japan and its Regeneration" will be organized next Sunday.

Word comes to us that on New Year's day a little daughter was born to Prof. and Mrs. H. P. Baker of Ames, Iowa. Both Mr. Baker and wife (Fleta Paddock) graduated with the class of '01.

THE INTERNATIONAL AS SEEN BY A COLLEGE STUDENT.

The International Livestock Exposition presents such object lessons and illustrations of classroom work to the agricultural student that he cannot well afford to miss. There are to be found such a variety of breeds of such excellence and quality as cannot be found at any other show in the world, except possibly the Royal Show in England, and yet do not find the interest that should be shown by some of our Eastern colleges.

One of the things that impressed me most as a college student was the interest in the International that was shown by the stu 'ents of the Western colleges. They were there in large numbers and their purpose was not to "do the city of Chicago" but to take advantage of the excellent opportunities afforded that could not possibly be obtained in a college,

It reminded one of an intercollegiate championship football game when students from the various colleges were rooting for the stock from their respective colleges or states.

The colleges represented by delegations of students were Colorado, Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, Ontario, Texas, and Wisconsin. The western colleges were represented in a similar manner to the livestock interest of their respective states, i. e., in carload lots. Some of these delegations traveled across three states or for a distance of nearly 000 miles. The Colorado students had a novel way of attending the International that might well be imitated by other colleges. A Pullman car was chartered for the round trip. Upon arriving in Chicago the car was sidetracked at the stock yard and was used as a boarding house and hotel for the boys.

Some of the features of the show of special note were the extensiveness and quality of the exhibits, the draft horse exhibit, the pony exhibit, the carload lots, the new amphitheater, and the decorations.

Every evening the large amphitheater, with a seating capacity of 10,000, was turned into a great place of amusement where a continuous two-hour performance was given, which consisted of a grand parade of the prize animals of each breed and between acts the audience was amused by exhibits of some of the lighter classes of horses such as single horse to vehicle, tandems, saddle horses, and teams. The pony exhibits and the heavy draft teams were made the special features of the show for the evenings. The ponies appeared as proud as their little drivers when they were fortunate in securing a ribbon. They seemed to put forth every effort to please.

The horsemanship shown by the drivers of the six horse heavy draft team in cutting the letter S, figure 8, and concentric circles was such as to elicit much applause from the audience.

The appreciation of fine horses shown by the thousands of people at the evening performances would indicate that first class horses will always find a ready sale.

The exposition management did everything possible for the comfort of the college student while at the International. A "SEEN-UR."

PRELIMINARY DEBATES.

The following teams will debate on Saturday next at 7:30 p.m. at the places mentined with the names of the teams. The question is, Resolved: That railroad rates in the U.S. should be fixed by a national commission.

DEBATE NO. 1.

In No 7 College Hall. AFFIRMATIVE: NEGATIVE:

H. G. Stone, L. R. O. W. Stephenson, Dorland, R. C. Potts. W. E. Piper, H. B. McDermid.

DEBATE NO. 2. In Union Lit. Building, H. I. Glazier, O. A. W. K. Hough, E.

Kratz, E. A. Willson. H. Adams, T. F. Locke.

DEBATE NO. 3.

In Columbian Rooms. F. B. Liverance, B. S. B. Lilly, A. J. G. Campbell, J. B. Carpenter, W. D. Wilkinson. Carpenter.

DEBATE NO. 4.

In Eunomian Rooms (Y. M. C. A.) M. J. Dorsey, A. A. H. A. Orvis, H. + Towner, G. P. Boom-H. Crosby, C. W. sliter. Edwards.

GRAND FOLK SONG CON-CERT.

M. A. C. Chorus, College Armory, Friday, Jan. 419, at 7:30. Admission 25 cents. Everybody come and enjoy a rare treat.

To our friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us in our hour 4f bereavement in the death of our beloved son and brother, Horace A. Fox, we wish to extend our sincere thanks, also to the singers from M. A. C., for the many beautiful flowers, and for the kindness of his brother Sir Knights we express our thanks and appreciation. MR. AND MRS, C. J. Fox.

MRS. B. S. McCov.

John Shaw who was a student at M. A. C. the past year and now at Johns Hopkins, Baltimore, writes that he is doing chemistry work as instructor in beginning chemistry and chemical physiology in the women's college at Baltimore. On his recent vacation trip he visited W. F. Lamoreaux at Isabella, Tenn.

At the last meeting of the board the horticultural department presented a map of the campus, recently completed by Woodbury, Spencer and Lambert, on which are located all walks, drives, trees, shrubs, beds, and buildings. The infestation of the campus with San Jose scale, as determined by Woodbury, is located on the map in red ink. The pest is found in over fifteen parts of the campus, being especially abundant on Japanese quince and the fruit trees near the hospital. The board made a special appropriation of \$300 to fight the scale and do other necessary campus work. In early spring the badly infested plants will be destroyed and the lightly infested plants will be pruned and treated with the limesulphur spray. The college orchards which are also infested are being thinned and pruned preparatory to very thorough spraying next spring.



The M. A. C. Foresters meet tonight for the first meeting (f the term.

Miss Laura Thomas, of Three Oaks, spent the past week with college friends.

Mrs. Eleanor Beeman, of California, is visiting Prof. Bogue's family for a few days.

Miss Bess Paddock, '05, has been engaged as instructor in English for the remainder of the school year.

Prof. Fletcher gives a lecture on Jan. 10, before the Berrien County Horticultural society on general apple culture in New York state.

The Olivet College Glee Club give a recital at Pilgrim church Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Admission, 25 cents. A good program is offered.

M. A. C. people doing institute work this week are Prof Jeffery at Owosso and Mt. Pleasant; Pres. Snyder at Mt Pleasant; Prof.Bogue at Elsie and Claire and Dr. Waterman at Owosso.

The Sororian society has elected the following officers for the winter term: Pres., Alida Alexander; Vice Pres., Irene Way; Sec., Ella McManus; Treas., Matie Hendee; Marshal, Bessie McCormick.

Instructor W. S. Leonard of the mechanical department will read a paper on cutting speeds, with special reference to high speed steel, at the annual convention of the Michigan Engineering society, Lansing, on Jan. 10. Dr. Wetmore's sister, with whom she spent the holidays in Washington, left Saturday morning for Allegan, where she is employed as teacher in the high school. She has been spending the past week at the college.

Prof. Fletcher goes to South Haven Jan. 16, where he gives a talk before the horticultural society. On his way there he expects to stop at Grand Rapids, where experiments with lettuce growing will be installed. On his return he will do institute work at Augusta.

Miss Virgill'a Purmort, instructor in domestic science the past year, writes pleasantly of her work at Drexel, Philadelphia. She has a class in cookery every Saturday morning at the social settlement of the city and is very enthusiastic over the work.

"Nine-tenths of the temptations of college life," said President Hadley of Yale, in a recent address to his students, "would be avoided if we called things by their right names. We should never call things 'fun' here that are 'rowdyism' at home."

Bulletin No. 223 on the breeding, care and management of pigs, is proving to be quite in demand. Requests for this bulletin have been received from England, Spain and Portugal. The Agricultural Gazette (England), in reviewing it, speaks of the work in very complimentary terms.

The forestry department has received from the basket factory at Holland bundles of willow and samples of the work done there. The company has 85 acres of willow under culture which is claimed to be the largest area of basket willow in the Udited States owned by one company.

The following committees were named by President Snyder at the faculty meeting Friday evening: Memorial Building — Dr. Waterman, chairman; Prof. Smith, Prof. Hedrick, Y. M. C. A. Sec. Hurst, and Mr. Kenney. Semi-Centennial Committee — Profs. Babcock, Kedzie, Shaw, Mr. Gunson, and Secretary Brown.

Dr. Abram W. Harris and wife were the guests of Professor and Mrs. Barrows on Friday and Saturday last. Dr. Harris is now director of the Jacob Tome Institute, Port Deposit, Md., was formerly president of the University of Maine, and, according to the Chicago papers, is likely to be the next president of Northwestern University.

Horace A. Fox died at the home of his parents east of the college Tuesday, Jan. 2, of peritonitis. Mr. Fox, who has been in the employ of the Cash Register Co. of Cleveland, came home about four weeks ago and has been ill during that time. One year ago this winter he fired at the bath house, during which time he became acquainted with many college people with extend to the family sincerest sympathy. Mr. Fox was thirty-four years of age.

Instructor Curtis, of the physics department, spent one week of the vacation at Chatham, U. P., where he installed an apparatus for deter mining snow temperatures and also did some measuring. He returned by way of Madison and Chicago. At the former place he met A. H. Taylor, a former instructor in physics at M. A. C., now in charge of engineering physics at Madison. At Chicago and Northwestern he visited the physics laboratories.

The Columbian Literary Society elected the following officers for the winter term : President, H. H. Barnett; Secretary, M. B. Ashley; Treasurer, C. W. Edwards; Marshal, A. L. Campbell.

The room in the horticultural laboratory used by the Horticultural Club and for a reading room, has been doubled in size by having the south portion moved over to the stairway, thus including a large space formerly a portion of the hallway. The cases of artificial fruits have been moved into the lecture room. This large room thus secured will be used for class work as well as for a reading room.

The new calendars have been distributed among college people and students' rooms. A copy has also been mailed to each home represented at M. A. C. Several hundred have been placed on sale at the book store at seven cents each (just about cost) for those who desire to send to friends. In addition we are trying to reach as many of our alumni as possible. Several have been reserved and those of our alumni and old students who have not received one can do so by sending address.

VACATION SHOP WORK.

During the Christmas vacation the 5''x6'' engine in the experimental laboratory was given a general overhauling, making this engine al-most as good as new. Considerable work was done on the compound engine also. On this engine the crosshead brasses were rebabbitted, crosshead refitted, guides lined up, etc.

One job, which was finished during the vacation, will interest the student who did the designing, the latter work having been done in the class in advanced machine design. The student referred to was very proud to have the honor of making an improvement in the gearing system of a lathe purchased from one of the leading machine tool builders.

The screw cutting gearing of the lathe in question was similar to that used on many first class lathes, but it was nevertheless considered very 'trappy' and inconvenient. The first change gear was placed on the main spindle behind a feed cone, necessitating the frequent removal of this cone pulley, other awkward adjustments were necessary when changing the gears for screw cutting. In the improved system there is no change gear on the main spindle, and therefore the feed cone does not have to be moved. It is necessary to remove only one gear for the whole range of threads cut in the M. A. C. shops, this being the gear on head screw. It is believed that the student who did the designing would be pleased to see the new change gear system in operation.

Another small job which was done during vacation is the new overhanging arm for the plain miller. This arm, which was also designed in connection with the senior class work admits of the use of very small cutters, of which we have a considerable number. It is so constructed that the arbors may be supported by either a center or a bushing.

In the foundry the cupola arch was bricked in, giving that side of the room a very neat appearance, besides adding greatly to the comfort of the shop. Also six iron flasks previously made were fitted up,

Mr. Chappell had an addition made in his equipment in the form of a number of new anvils. He has other improvements in mind which he hopes may materialize in the near future.

The sixteenth annual meeting of the Michigan Association of Breeders of Improved Live Stock meets at the College tomorrow, January 10. The following subjects will be treated, discussions following each topic.

President's Address, L. Whitney Watkins, Manchester.

Outlook for Beef Breeds of Cattle, Prof. H. W. Mumford, Urbana, 111.

Outlook for Dairy Breeds of Cattle, Hon. Jas. W. Helm, Adrian.

Outlook for Sheep From Breeders' Standpoint, Thos. Wyckoff, Orchard Lake.

Outlook for Sheep From Feeders' Standpoint, C. A. Tyler, Nottawa.

Live Stock Sanitary Conditions in the State, C. A. Waldron, Tecumseh

Relation of the Agricultural College to the Live Stock Industry of the State, Prof. R. S. Shaw, Agricultural College.

Outlook for Hogs from Breeders' Standpoint, Ward H. Lessiter, Pontiac.

Outlook for Hogs From Feeders' Standpoint, F. W. Upton, Ovid. What Michigan Should Do to

Foster the Live Stock Interests of Our State, Robt. Gibbons, Detroit. Everyone is cordially invited to take part in discussing each and every subject.

Hesperian Society has elected the following officers for the winter term, 1906: President, W. P. Wilson; vice president, C. A. Willson; secretary, H. E. Silcox; treasurer, A. G. Palacio; registrar, R. S. Canfield; marshal, A. A. Chambe.

Prof. Holdsworth writes Mr. Newman interestingly of their trip to California. On the evening of the day they left M. A. C. they took dinner with P. M. Chamberlain '88 and wife in Chicago, Prof. and Mrs. Woodworth and Mrs. Kedzie also being of the party. They left the Windy City at 9:30 and daylight found them well into Missouri. Prof. H. speaks of Trinidad, with an altitude of 6,000 feet, as being one of the most attractive places on the road. On account of a wreck during the second day the train was thrown of the regular schedule which changed the time of their arrival at Los Angeles twelve hours. Monday morning found the party in California but Prof, states that until they left Barstow they could not realize that they were within the great western state. After leaving San Bernardino they began to feel that they were in the California "we read about." Monday night was spent in Los Angeles, leaving there at 8:45 for Santa Barbara at which place they arrived at 1 o'clock p. m. Mrs. Stevens met the party and at the time of writing they were settled at her place four miles out from Santa Barbara. Prof. H. describes his home, stating that the ocean is in view only three miles away and going back of the house three-quarters of a mile you are in the mountains. He sends regards to his college friends and they certainly hope that the western air may be of great benefit to him.

'03.

W. M. Brown, a graduate of the above class, was married to Miss Bertha McCartney, of Lake Odessa, at the bride's home on Dec. 13. Mr. and Mrs. Brown are at home at 357 23d St., Detroit. Congratulations.

°04.

F. H. Sanford, of the above class, and Miss Cara Farmer, a special student at M. A. C. for several terms, were united in marriage at the bride's home, Grand Blanc, on Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1905 The young people will be at home after Feb. 1 at St. Charles, Mich. The many College friends will, we are sure, join the RECORD in its best wishes to the young people.

'05.

G. R. Fryman, '05, is engaged in railroad location for the Sante Fe railroad, a position he accepted very soon after graduation. He celebrated Christmas day on the prairie in a tent, snow a foot deep outside, good water fourteen miles distant, and the nearest timber eight miles away. His left ear and right foot were frozen, but not badly enough to discourage him. He suggests that "this must be the cold world we used to hear about,"



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