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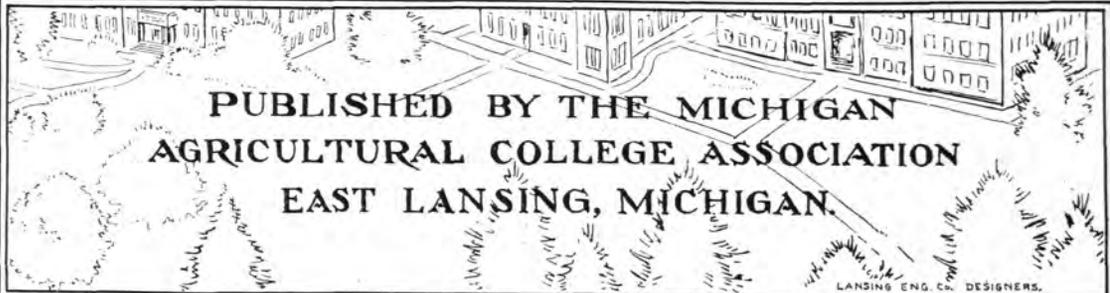
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NORTHEAST MICHIGAN ASSOCIATION ESTABLISHES PRECEDENT.

Besides being the only M. A. C. Association in Michigan to hold a summer meeting, the Northeast Michigan Association, at its meeting August 20, went one step farther than to meet merely for social purposes as it set a pace of real constructive work for M. A. C. The matter of starting a fund to be used in awards for work in the English department was quite thoroly discussed and several pledges were made. This matter will be gone into more thoroly at the next meeting of the Association, plans for which are under consideration for October 29th, the meeting to be held in Saginaw at the time of the State Teachers' Association.

The summer meeting of the Saginaw Valley M. A. C. people was very appropriately held at Wenona Beach, on Saginaw Bay. Prof. Gunson, always a favorite, was present as the representative from the College. Something over thirty people gathered at the Beach in the afternoon of August 20, and made merry with ball games and other outdoor sports until the banquet was served. It should be noted especially that Prof. Gunson and some of the ladies present gave a very good athletic exhibition.

The "bunch" convened at Wright's cafe, on the Bay, at 7:30, where "one of the most delicious banquets ever served was partaken of,"—this last is Prof. Gunson's word and he surely ought to know. The dining room was very tastefully decorated in the College colors and penants loaned by the MacVitties were very much in evidence on the walls. President MacKinnon, '95, had charge of the program and in his always unique way introduced the speaker of the evening. "Tom" Gunson, A. MacVittie, '11, and

others spoke, MacVittie introducing the subject of prizes for excellence in English work at the College. (We confidently expect to hear more of this matter at a later time.)

FAVOR PRESIDENT HAIGH'S USE FOR COLLEGE HALL.

Charles W. Garfield, '76, of Grand Rapids, has expressed himself as being in favor of the program mapped out in the first issue of the Record for the use of College Hall as a building to house the proposed M. A. C. Union. He writes: "I am quite in sympathy with Henry Haigh's suggestion concerning a possible use for old College Hall. It seems to me in the combination which he suggests there is good sense and the expense would be within our reach and not put too much of a strain upon those who will have to stand the brunt of it."

M. A. C. PROMINENT IN NEW ORGANIZATION.

The American Society of Agriculture, organized recently, and "devoted to the increase and diffusion of authoritative agricultural information," is made up of several very prominent M. A. C. men. Dean R. S. Shaw is first vice-president; U. P. Hedrick, '93, of Geneva, N. Y., third vice-president; J. Willard Bolte, '05, managing director. In the board of directors we find also the names of George C. Humphrey, '01, of the University of Wisconsin; P. G. Holden, '89, of the International Harvester Co., and Leon J. Cole, ex-'98, of the University of Wisconsin. The home offices of the society are located in Grand Rapids, where the organization will publish a new monthly magazine to be known as the "American Agricultural Magazine." This magazine will be under the direction of J. W. Bolte.

NEW M. A. C. SONG.

Soft on the wings of wind our song is wafled,
Great song of praise, all hail, Oh M. A. C.
First of your race and greatest in the nation,
Your loyal sons and daughters sing to thee.

When to your halls we came in youthful ardor,
Seeking to find the way to knowledge vast;
You set us right and filled us with a spirit
Cherished by each of us while life shall last.

Spirit of truth, of loyalty and honor,
Courage to fight and fight to win for thee;
Spirit of faith, of hope and adoration,
That is the spirit, grand, of M. A. C.

We learned to know and love you like a mother;
From you came strength to meet each passing day;
When filled with hope and ready for life's battles,
Your blessing give and send us on our way.

ALUMNI.

Here's to the pal we used to love and honor,
Here's to the girl we rushed to every game;
Gone is the pal, and gone our college sweetheart,
But grand old M. A. C. is still the same.

DANCE.

Now ends the dance and homeward soon we're wending,
Hours filled with joy are over all too soon;
Deart heart of mine, I'm grieving at this parting,
But we'll be happy when we meet again.

—Charles R. Haigh.

"Happy" Musselman, '08, associate professor of farm mechanics at M. A. C., has a brother and sister in the entering class this fall.

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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1915.

If you did not receive the first number of the Record on account of change of address, it will be necessary to forward a one-cent stamp to your old address, as the issue is entirely exhausted at the alumni office.

DOES THIS AFFECT YOU?

It is an iron bound policy with all alumni publications, and ours is no exception, that no name is taken off the mailing list without an order from the subscriber. We assume that alumni desire more and more every year to keep in touch thru the RECORD, and we know that lack of prompt renewal is an oversight in 99 per cent. of the cases. That our policy is the right one we have been shown conclusively in several instances by the receipt of checks covering the subscription in arrears with letters expressing appreciation for having been kept on the list. We give our opinion, tho prejudiced as it quite naturally may be, that any person who has received the RECORD for a year and does not wish to renew should be considered lost, so far as his interest in this life is concerned.

With this number of the RECORD the mailing list is corrected up to date, as nearly as may be possible. It is very easy to figure out that every notice we are compelled to send out for renewals costs between three and four per cent. of the subscription price, so that a prompt renewal means that you buy more for your money.

Remember that we are always open to criticisms and suggestions regarding the RECORD, meanwhile keeping in mind the fact that we are here on the

ground, so to speak, know the financial limitations of the Association and the conditions under which the work is done.

It may be interesting, in this connection, to know that we are over 400 subscribers ahead of last year. These new ones, just *exactly* like the old ones, think most of the alumni columns of the RECORD. Every person who sends a renewal or any letter to this office has some interesting facts about his own work or that of some former student which would make interesting reading.

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DO DOUBLE DUTY.

Make your letter to this office give your opinion about a Union for M. A. C. as well as interesting items of alumni. We want to know what you think about President Haigh's proposal regarding the use of College Hall. Since we have heard from some of the older alumni, we have a right to know what some of the more recent ones think.

In this connection it is well to remember that the State Board is pledged to keep College Hall on its present site. In order to do this there will have to be extensive improvements made to keep it from crumbling to earth, no matter what ultimate use is to be made of it. The following paragraph which is found in the comprehensive report of Olmsted Brothers in regard to the future expansion of the College has an interesting bearing upon this question:

"College Hall, while it cannot be called a beautiful structure or a well built structure, is at least fairly harmonious in type and scale with the essential character of the old central campus, and the knoll on which it stands is such an ultimate and even predominating part of the central campus that to replace College Hall by a large, modern building would, in our opinion, have a positively ruinous effect upon the landscape of the campus.

* * * This opinion in regard to the retention of College Hall is based upon a regard for the intrinsic quality of the campus landscape, wholly without regard to the accidental fact that many sentimental associations cluster about the building. These associations merely reinforce our opinion that under no circumstances ought College Hall to be torn down to make way for a big modern building."

THAT OREGON GAME.

Yes, of course you're going to see those Oregon boys in action on College Field, October 30th. Be sure and mark the date, on your calendar. The teachers of the State will be here in a body from the State meeting at Saginaw, and we'll stage a get-together if you'll promise to be on hand. After the terrific beating we're going to administer to U. of M. the week before, you will be more eager than ever to see M. A. C.'s greatest team in action. Let us hear from you.

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EXTENSION WORKERS GETTING RESULTS.

That the Extension Division at M. A. C., under the direction of R. J. Baldwin, '04, is meeting with much favor thruout the state, is more and more clear every day. The work of O. E. Robey, '13e, extension specialist in household engineering, is more than meeting with success. During the months of May and June, Robey installed with his own hands six separate septic tank systems in farm homes, besides furnishing plans for 50 more, and doing a good deal of work on water supply. One of Robey's stunts on entering a new community is to get the stone masons, bricklayers, carpenters, etc., together and instruct them in the installation of these systems. In this way, besides furnishing the people of the community with an available corps of workers in this new line, he also gets the co-operation of just the people who might be antagonistic.

James N. McBride, the market investigator, working particularly in beans, has consummated the organization of the bean growers in sixteen counties, and also a state organization. These men have agreed to sell no beans at less than \$3.00 per bushel in October with an increasing scale in price of 10 cents per bushel for every month thereafter up to January, from which time the increase will be five cents per bushel per month. No one can prophesy, however, just what will happen to the bean market now that the Federal Government has made a ruling that on account of disease no Michigan beans can be used for canning. Mr. McBride has had an interview with Governor Ferris on this subject to the end that the governor and James Helme have promised to take a trip to Washington to see if they cannot remove this ban for beans within the limit of ten per cent. disease.

This past summer there have been added to the list of county agents in Michigan, making a total now of sixteen, the following men: L. R. Walker, '15a, Marquette; C. B. Ballard, '12a, Dickinson, and C. L. Coffeen, '12a, Lenawee.

CHAS. R. HAIGH, '94 MAN PRESENTS NEW COLLEGE SONG.

The feature of the first mass meeting of the year, held last Thursday night, was the introduction to the student body of a new M. A. C. song by Charles R. Haigh, ex-'94, who wrote the lyrics and set them to music. The reception which the song received and its interpretation by Mr. Haigh as he led in the singing was one of unanimous approval. Printed copies of the words were distributed to the students and they sang it "with a spirit." The song proper consists of four verses, but there are two other verses, one dedicated to the alumni and one for use as a good night waitz song.

So far as is known, Mr. Haigh is the only M. A. C. man to follow the stage as a profession. Haigh says that he has had a "legitimate" stage career of about 15 years, most of which has been spent in musical comedy, but that he has had experience in most everything except a circus and Uncle Tom's Cabin. Since spring, however, he has been a member of the Atlas Moving Picture Co., of Detroit, having "switched from the legitimate to the illegitimate field when the going was good." In addition to being a former student at M. A. C., Mr. Haigh has other ties. His father, Richard Haigh, graduated in '69; his uncle, Henry Haigh, in '74; and another uncle, George, was one of the first class to enter. The spirit of the song he has written could only be brot out by an M. A. C. man.

On account of lack of a band arrangement Thursday night, the band did not assist with the new song, but Mr. Haigh promises that he will have a band arrangement on hand so that it may be used next Saturday. Director Clark speaks very favorably of the song. As yet the new song has no name, Mr. Haigh having left this matter to the Student Council who will find a suitable name soon. The music for the song will appear in the Record at a later issue so that the alumni may become familiar with it.

ADDRESSES WANTED.

Letters have been returned from the following persons and we would be very glad if any of the Record readers could supply the correct addresses:

Robert I. Rork, '02m; Prof. J. A. Bulkeley, '99a; J. F. Coats, '01m; G. W. White, '05m; Ray Tower, '03a; George Washington Benjamin, '93a; Oscar Mead, '02m; Edmund Bennet, '02a; Ray F. Minard, '07e; J. P. Miller, '10a; Edwin J. Freeman, '92a; C. W. McCurdy, '81; C. V. Williams, '08e; Ethel Trautman, '11h; C. H. Sutherland, '08e; Harry E. Wilcox, '13e; M. C. Ellman, '13a; Samson Liph, '15a; Harvey D. Fargo, '03e; Frank Parker, '09e.

EXCELLENT SUGGESTIONS— WASHINGTON ASSOCIATION.

L. A. Clinton, '89, president of the M. A. C. Association of Washington, D. C., has hit upon an idea which should be very productive of results. It is so original that we are glad to print it, thinking that perhaps other associations may be able to get some assistance. The following letter was sent out to the members of the committee:

"You are hereby appointed as a member of the Lookout Committee of the Michigan Agricultural College Alumni Association of Washington, D. C. I enclose a list of members of the committee. The duties of this committee will be:

"First. To see that every member of the Association with whom you are acquainted gets out to our first annual field day and picnic, which will be held on the afternoon of July 17th, at Forest Glen, Maryland.

"Second. In case any Michigan Agricultural College people come to Washington whose work brings them in association with your department, or who locate near you, look them up, let them know we have an association and extend to them the right hand of fellowship, sending their names and addresses to the Secretary of our Association.

"Third. In case you learn of the sickness of any member of the Association and any services can be rendered, you are expected to look after the case, or notify the Secretary. If flowers are needed, please let the Secretary of our Association, Miss Cora Feldkamp, know about it.

"Fourth. In general, the duties of this committee will be to try and establish more friendly relations between the members of the Michigan Agricultural College Alumni Association.

"Your term of office will continue until the time of our annual banquet next February, at which time I will call on you for a report as to what you have done as a member of this committee. You do not need to signify your acceptance in writing, because I take it for granted that you will accept the appointment.

"Enclosed is a list of all M. A. C. people now resident in Washington or vicinity so far as we have information.

"Very truly yours,

"L. A. CLINTON, '89."

The Lookout Committee of the Michigan Agricultural College Alumni Association of Washington, D. C., consists of the following: Charles P. Close, '95; Clay Tallman, '95; Mrs. D. A. Gurney, '04; Henry J. Schneider, '04; Wm. A. Kinnan, '86; F. H. Hillman, '88; Wm. J. Meyers, '90; Homer C. Skeels, '92; Roy C. Potts, '06; Lee M. Hutchins, '13.

Dean Polson of the Engineering Division reports that he has several calls for engineers that he is unable to fill.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Editor of the M. A. C. Record:

The first issue of the Record for the current year is just at hand and I am delighted to meet the pictured face of an old friend upon the cover. If you have any more half as fine looking gentlemen upon your faculty, please introduce your older readers to them in the same splendid way.

But, I see that there is a special reason for bringing the likeness of Prof. Kedzie to the front and if President Snyder must be relieved I am very much pleased that there is one close at hand who can fill his place.

The delightful thought that Dr. Kedzie is to be the head of my Alma Mater takes me back over the larger part of a half century to those dear college days when I was more or less closely associated with the young life, which has grown into the very body and heart of the college.

Whether at work or at play he was always a leading and inspiring spirit. His ideals were then high and his action great. The things that occupied his mind must find some expression in life. His readings of Cooper were made known to us by his Indian attire and I almost hear and see him at the head of his little band, darting from behind trees and sending the well-directed arrow to its mark. He was born with that fine spirit of helpful leadership that has characterized all his years since the sixties and you cannot wonder that I, as his boyhood friend, am deeply pleased, that is, for the college, always deserving wise guidance and for the man who is, in so very many ways, exceptionally fitted for the task.

It is a matter of great satisfaction that the State Board has appropriately recognized the great service of President Snyder. In all such cases the finely written resolutions of thanks and the applause of the multitude are excellent, but the yearly honorarium oils, as nothing else can, the machinery of a cherished life.

BYRON D. HALSTED, '71.

New Brunswick, N. J.

The appearance of the M. A. C. band just before the close of the first half in Saturday's game was very much appreciated by the football fans. The boys, despite the fact that they had just returned from Grand Rapids on the Pavedway trip and were tired and dusty, played with a vim that brot rounds of applause. Director Clark reported a fine trip for the band, which was carried in 15 high-powered automobiles, was put up at the Hotel Pantlind, and withall were shown much appreciation.

Harvey L. Curtis, Ph. D., instructor in physics at M. A. C., 1905-07, and now associate physicist in the Bureau of Standards at Washington, visited M. A. C. a short time before the opening of College.

OLIVET DOWNED IN THE OPENER.

The first gridiron struggle of the season with Olivet, Saturday, was just about as exciting as the first game ever proves to be. The score, 34-0, bears some semblance to the one with Olivet last year, in that it represents five touchdowns by M. A. C., the difference, however, being in the fact that this year Olivet had no opportunity for their hopes to rise, where last year they got away with one touchdown. So we may say that the Aggie eleven showed up a shade better than a year ago, and this without "Carp" Julian in the fray or even Blacklock, who is pointed for Julian's shoes. A good many of the fans expected that Coach John Farrell would pull off some aerial maneuvers, but in this they were disappointed, as few passes of any description were attempted and all that were tried failed. In fact, nothing sensational developed in the game except the fact was brot out pretty vividly that the M. A. C. boys have not been conditioning four weeks for nothing. Only three players, Smith, Henning and Springer, lasted the whole game, but the substitutions were experiments and not necessities by any means. Twenty-three men were used in the game and from the sidelines it didn't look as if the speed of the team was slackened a bit by the introduction of the second string men.

Olivet wasn't in the pink of condition and time was taken out repeatedly. Only once did Olivet earn first down and this was on the only completed forward pass of the game. One other time they were given downs by a five-yard penalty on M. A. C. for offside. M. A. C. did not punt once thruout the game, and the second quarter was the only one in which Olivet did anything like stopping the home boys.

In less than three minutes after the first whistle Blake Miller had advanced the ball by a 30-yard run around left end; Gideon Smith had plunged thru the line for 20 more and DePrato had carried the ball over, following which stunt he kicked goal. Within five minutes B. Miller was over the line with another.

The game started with DePrato, Fick, Hammill, and Springer in the back field. Fick and Hammill showed much caliber as halves, but gave way to Hewitt Miller and Beatty. Nothing was that of Hewitt's end runs and brilliant dashes, but when the light sprinter Beatty tore off for 20 and 30-yard gains, the fans began to take notice. McClellan and O'Callaghan were also given a chance in the back field and the sum of the day's performance of the backs proved that Macklin has a versatile bunch from which it will be mighty hard to pick the best. DePrato's punting and plunging ability makes him a fixture in the back field—"Jerry" was certainly going fine Saturday.

About all of the available line material had a chance to show what they could do, as during the game Oviatt, end; Donaldson, end; Ode, tackle; Brownfield, center; Patterson, guard; Chapel, guard, and Hutton, tackle, were substituted. The only boys who appear to be regulars that didn't get a chance were Huebel and Blacklock, who were nursing slight injuries. There wasn't a weak spot in the whole team that showed up, and with Alma for a practice game next Saturday, and Carroll a week from then, together with some stiff drilling by Coach Macklin and Assistant Coaches Gauthier, "Dutch" Miller, Gifford, and McWilliams, the boys ought to be in great form for Michigan on the 23d.

M. A. C.	OLIVET.
B. Miller.....L. E.....	Hawkins
Smith.....L. T.....	Opdyke
Coryell.....L. G.....	Perry
Frimodig.....C.....	Bacon
Straight.....R. G.....	Holliday
Vandervoort.....R. T.....	Price
Henning.....R. E.....	Schlaak
Springer.....Q. B.....	Watson
Hammill.....L. H.....	Barlow
DePrato.....F. B.....	Johnson
Fick.....R. H.....	French

Touchdowns—DePrato, 3; Blake Miller, Beatty. Goals from touchdowns—DePrato, 3 in 5; Beatty, 1 in 1. Penalties—M. A. C., 10 yards for offside; Olivet, 5 yards for offside. Earned first down—M. A. C., 20; Olivet, 1. Time out—Olivet, 20 minutes; M. A. C., 2 minutes. Referee—Hoagland, Princeton; Umpire—Lynch, Brown; Head Linesman—Cox, Ohio State.

Substitutions—M. A. C.: Donaldson for Blake Miller; Oviatt for Donaldson; Vandervoort for Coryell; Ode for "Van"; Brownfield for Frimodig; Patterson for Straight; "Van" for Ode; Straight for Patterson; Chapel for Straight; Hutton for "Van"; O'Callaghan for DePrato; Beatty for Hammill; Hewitt Miller for Fick; McClellan for Hewitt Miller.

COLLEGE SOCIAL ACTIVITIES.

The following dates have been obtained by the societies for their fall term parties:

Eclectic—Oct. 9.
Phylean—Oct. 22.
Phi Delta—Oct. 30.
Ionian—Oct. 30.
Union Lit.—Oct. 30.
Sesame—Nov. 5.
Hesperian—Nov. 6.
Aurorian—Nov. 12.
Eunomian—Nov. 12.
Ero Alphan—Nov. 13.
Sororian—Nov. 13.
Trimora—Nov. 19.
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NEWS AND COMMENT

W. A. Melton, a graduate of the Oklahoma A. & M. College, is the new assistant in physics this year. The last two years Mr. Melton has spent with the General Electric Co. at Lynn, Mass.

Regarding the classification of the uncertain person asked for in last week's Record, one reader suggests that he should be listed in the "unstable" class. There is a possibility that such a class might assume large proportions.

The first Engineering meeting of the year, held last week, was addressed by President Kedzie, who spoke on various topics, touching principally upon the supply of chemicals and apparatus for chemistry in this country. Dr. Kedzie said that every effort should be made to encourage the manufacture of these in America.

I. G. Gardner, of Lansing, is one of the entering class this fall. The notable point here is that he makes the fifth child from the one family to enter M. A. C., all of the others having graduated. Victor Gardner, '05, is associate professor of pomology in the Oregon Agricultural College at Corvallis. Shirley M. Gardner, now Mrs. W. D. Frazier, graduated in '09. L. B. Gardner, '12, is teaching agriculture in the Traverse City high school, and Harriet Gardner, '13, is professor of household economics in Lincoln College, Lincoln, Ill.

The first student "activities" of the year occurred last Monday night when some freshmen went thru selected antics in front of the Woman's Building. The party was broken up, however, by the arrival of a sufficient number of juniors. Poster night for the sophomores occurred last Wednesday night. The Student Council had designated the buildings upon which posters might be placed and the class of '18 deserves credit for not marring the sides of the Woman's Building, Agricultural Building or Engineering Building. There seems to be very good evidence that the sophomores had considerable trouble in posting Williams and Abbot, however, these dormitories being occupied mostly by juniors. They do say that eggs of questionable character, fire extinguishers, catsup old, and catsup still unmade, figured in the bombardment and defense of these grim fortresses.

H. E. Harrison, '88, of Chicago, was at the College early in September. Mr. Harrison was a resident near East Lansing in his early days. He spoke of his father making the brick for the Downey House, Church's residence, College Hall, and the White Elephant, all of which was made right back of the present site of the White Elephant.

ALUMNI NOTES

'85.

J. D. Towar is a member of the Realty Sales Co., 1208 Hobart Bldg., San Francisco, and is living at 1162 Clusa Ave, Berkeley, Cal.

'04.

John Greenway, with '04, is a contracting drainage engineer at Sunnyside, Wash. Mrs. Greenway (Ernestine Dimick, also '04), spent the summer with the three children at Crystal Lake, Mich., and recently visited college friends in Lansing and East Lansing.

'06.

Cass Lamb (m) and Mrs. Lamb (Ella McManus, '08) of Fulton, N. Y., spent a few days last week visiting Lansing and East Lansing friends. Lamb is civil engineer with the G. C. Hodgson Co., of Dayton, Ohio, doing work near Fulton.

'07.

Hugh Glazier (e) dropped in on college friends last Thursday. He reported a fine trip thru the West this summer, meeting in Portland, Kratz, '07 and Gongwer, '08, both of whom wanted to be remembered to their friends in the East. Glazier is with the General Fire Proofing Co., of Chicago, with residence at 718 Sheridan Road.

C. C. Bushnell, (ex-'07 e) is now chief draftsman for the Butte and Superior Co., Butte, Mont. Bushnell left college in December, '06, to take an engineering position in Tennessee. From there he went to Salt Lake City where he was prospecting—evidently being successful, as he writes he was married there. He has been in Butte since February, 1912. He also writes that he lives 100 yards from Ed. Bartlett, '08a, who is now vice president of the Sheep Shearers' Union.

'10.

I. D. MacLachlan (e) of Sault Ste. Marie, was a college visitor last week. Parnell G. McKenna (e) is on his way to the Belgian Congo, Africa, where he will serve as superintendent of exploration for an English-Belgian copper syndicate. His headquarters will be Elizabethville, Belgian-Congo. This place is situated on the continental divide, with an altitude of 5,000 feet, and is considered one of the most healthy places in Africa.

'11.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hulse of St. Johns, on Oct. 1st, a daughter, Margaret Elizabeth. Ed. is city engineer at St. Johns and also works with the county surveyor.

From all reports W. R. Walker (e) is achieving much success as building superintendent with W. E. Wood Co., of Detroit. Mrs. Walker will be remembered as Fay Smith, with '14. Their address is 350 Allendale Ave.

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'12.

Don Palm, ex-'12, is holding down a position with the Trio Manufacturing Co., and lives at the Bachelors' Club, 210 Lincoln Ave., Detroit.

G. C. Sheffield, '12, former cadet colonel at M. A. C., has again taken up active military service in the National Guard. "Sheff" evidently believes in preparedness.

'13.

L. A. Wileden, D. V. M. '13, is sanitary inspector for the city of Lansing with office at room 13, City Hall.

J. A. McClintock (a) has been since June, pathologist for the Virginia Truck Experiment Station, Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. Robert Loree (h) of East Lansing was "at home" to a large number of East Lansing ladies last Friday in honor of Mrs. Robert J. Baldwin (Bertha Van Orden, '14), and Mrs. H. L. Publow (Hazel Powell, '13h), both brides of this fall, and new East Lansing residents.

'14.

S. P. Doolittle (a) has been working at Big Rapids on the subject, "White Pickles" and has obtained very valuable information regarding this disease. He will continue work at M. A. C. this year on Heinz Industrial Fellowship.

Chester Warren Gifford (e) one time star tackle on Coach Macklin's victorious eleven, and Miss Leona Cudsworth, of Assonett, Mass., were married at the bride's home, October 5th. After an automobile trip in the New England states and a further short honeymoon in the East, Mr. and Mrs. Gifford will return to Lansing where Gifford is employed in the Reo Motor works. "Chet" has been helping Coach Macklin on the football field the last week. Thursday night, his last appearance on College Field before the event, was marked by a striking demonstration. At the close of practice all the football men gathered around and amid their cheers he was carried up to the Armory where he was made to take the platform, lead the boys in some cheers and make a speech. Incidentally Gifford is planning to be back in East Lansing in time to help out the coaches for the Michigan game.

'15.

E. M. Young (e) is working with Sturtevant Co., Boston, Mass.

L. F. Beal (e) is with Whitehead & Kales, Detroit, with residence at 308 24th St.

Peerless Peterson and L. E. Belknap are working for the State Highway Department.

Raymond and Bertram Giffels (e) are with the American Bridge Co., at Gary, Ind.

W. E. McCarthy (a) has accepted a position as superintendent of schools at Dowagiac.

F. L. Williams (a) is in the fruit business in California, with address Santa Paula.

E. M. Harvey (a) will do post graduate work in landscape gardening at M. A. C. this year.

J. A. Bennet (a) is working with Elmer D. Smith & Co., chrysanthemum specialists, of Adrian, and expects to do plant breeding work for them this fall.

FRESHMEN WIN THE RUSH.

The freshmen and sophomores in their varied costumes of blue jeans and blue sweaters, and old uniforms, presented a pleasing spectacle last Saturday noon in their annual football contest on the football field back of the bleachers. In a comparatively short time the freshmen had rushed three of the five footballs over the line and won the event. The canvass pull was dropped from the list this year. In the tug-of-war across the Red Cedar, the freshmen, after the longest contest that has ever been staged, during which the rope was broken twice, came out victorious. The fight for the flag around the tree on the drill grounds was a short one, the sophomores rushing the freshmen and in a very few minutes gained the coveted prize.

The freshman victory may possibly be attributed to the fact that they wasted no energy or time last week in putting up posters in answer to the sophomores—tho the sophomores are wont to ascribe a different reason for freshman inactivity in this line.

NEW STANDPIPE FOR CLASSES TO DECORATE.

According to the announcement of L. F. Newall, ex-'94, college engineer, the College is to have a new standpipe in order that an adequate pressure of water may be maintained. The direct pressure system, which has been in use in the past, has proved inadequate at certain times when water was drawn most heavily. The new supply tank, which will be of 30,000 gallons capacity, will furnish 75 pounds pressure, and will be 156 feet high up to the balcony.

In connection with the new standpipe there has been bought for the new well dug last winter back of the Forestry Building, a 40 horse power motor driven, deep well pump. This pump is installed at a cost of about \$3,500. The working barrel will be 85 feet below the surface. The well itself is 385 feet deep.



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