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RESERVE OFFICERS' TRAINING UNIT FINALLY LANDED.

An announcement has just been received from the war department to the effect that the long hoped for reserve officers' training unit will be immediately established at M. A. C. The telegram which was received November 2 follows:

Washington, D. C., Nov. 2, 1917,
Dr. Frank S. Kedzie, President,
M. A. C., East Lansing, Mich.

In accordance with your telegram and letter from Major Wrightson bulletin drafted this date establishing infantry unit senior division officers' training corps, two years compulsory course in accordance with Section 41, Act of June 3, 1916, at your institution. Commutation for uniform, fourteen dollars.

McCain.

Final arrangements for giving the additional work required of such units have not been made, but are being planned now by Major Wrightson.

The reserve officers' training units as established in the land grant colleges contemplate intensive military training for from two to four years at the end of which time students are eligible to an examination for the reserve officers' corps.

Just prior to the receiving of the telegram announcing the establishment of the M. A. C. unit, Major Wrightson received notice of his promotion from the rank of captain to major.

M. A. C. AT STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

M. A. C. was very well represented at the State Teachers' meeting at Grand Rapids November 1 and 2. Besides college people attending the banquet and listed there, the following signed the register at the M. A. C. headquarters at the Morton House during the session: Don P. Toland, '14, Caledonia; S. S. Smith, '12, Watervliet; F. O. Ockerblad, M. S., '16, St. Charles; R. S. Linton, '16, Owosso; P. J. Dunn, '16, Leland; Albert L. Walz, '16, Grand Rapids; Anne Gezon, with '18, Howell; L. R. Stanley, '16, Colon; G. S. Butler, '17, Sandusky; Blanche Clark, '12, Lapeer; M. H. Shearer, '16, Vicksburg; Anna E. Carson, '17, Elk Rapids; C. M. Loesel,

'16, Otsego; Gerald Bos, '16, Hudsonville.

M. A. C. people also had a prominent part in the association meetings. In the section in agriculture Professor French was chairman and Glenn I. Hobbs, '16, was secretary. In this section Alexander MacVittie, '11, addressed Friday's meeting on the "Home Project Plan," discussion of which was led by E. L. Grover, '07. Before the County Normal Schools section Mr. Grover gave an address on "The Teaching of Agriculture in the Rural Schools." In the home economics section Mrs. Peppard acted as secretary. Lindemann, '11, was chairman of the school garden association meeting on November 1 and gave an address, "A War Time Service for Boys and Girls," at the planting and parks section.

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News of one of the first M. A. C. meetings of army men at an army post comes from Ft. Monroe, Va., the coast artillery training station:

Fort Monroe, Va., Oct. 28, 1917.

My Dear McKibbin:

Just a line from the Officers' Training Camp here to say that the old M. A. C. spirit bubbled over down here and as a result a regular old M. A. C. banquet was held last evening at the Hotel Chamberlin, Old Point Comfort.

Dinner was served at promptly 7:30

p. m. and after an especially fine line of "Eats" had been disposed of, Capt. E. C. Douglas, '13, ably assisted by Capt. Walt Moss, '09, and Capt. E. H. Collins, '13, led in a series of short talks and reminiscences of our Alma Mater.

Dancing finished a very delightful evening as unanimously agreed by the following: Capt. E. C. Douglas, '13, and Mrs. Douglas; Capt. Walt Moss, '09, and Mrs. Moss; Capt. E. H. Collins, '13; Reserve Officer candidates, R. G. Chamberlin, '13, and Iva Wilson Chamberlin, '11; Norman Gridley, '12; J. M. Moore, '16; A. R. Nixon, '15; H. R. Conover, '15E, John Longnecker, 14.

M. A. C. WOMEN PUSH FOOD CAM- PAIGN.

The 400 odd girls attending M. A. C. signed the Hoover food pledge last week and, with an organization effected by Miss Edmonds, head of the domestic science department, and Miss Parker of the extension division, canvassed every one in East Lansing and got signers for the food conservation pledge.

There has just been placed in the corridor of the library building a table on which folders, circulars and literature on food conservation subjects, including recipes for war breads, meat substitutes, and bulletins on thrift, war clothing, in fact almost everything on general conservation that the public might be interested in. This literature is the best that has ever been furnished.

Over the table, locked in the glass case in the corridor are being displayed a series of food conservation posters made by school children. These posters will be shown two at a time beginning with those made by the primary grades and gradually working up to those prepared by high school students. Libraries all over the state are lending their assistance to the extension department and Miss Morris, who has charge of the food movement in the extension division, states that similar literature is being placed for use of the public in hundreds of libraries and public buildings throughout Michigan.

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HAVE YOU WRITTEN TO THAT M. A. C. FRIEND "OUT THERE"?

In almost every letter that comes from the camps and the ships and the fellows "out there" invariably they mention how good it seems and how much they enjoy getting news from college and of college friends. Think if you can how much it will mean to get a letter from you—be you classmate or college friend or just one of the big M. A. C. family—a letter with the personal touch of one who has in common all those things of M. A. C. that are dear to them. They are sacrificing all, giving up life, if need be, in the great cause. What are you doing to help those M. A. C. brothers who are fighting our fight? Get out that list from the October 19th number, find a man in service and away from home and write to him. Let's show our men in Uncle Sam's uniform that the spirit of M. A. C. is still going strong in every heart, no matter how long or how far from her campus, and that it still stands for "practical unselfish service" to each other and to the college and the nation.

Write the letter now.

WHY M. A. C. MEN ARE MAKING GOOD IN THE ARMY.

Considering the large number of M. A. C. men attending the first officers' training camps and the fact that almost every man succeeded in winning a commission and the like number who are getting to the front in the second camps and national army cantonments, we may well believe that there is a definite reason for our men making good.

The following extracts from a letter from Adjutant General H. P. McCain will be of interest to M. A. C. men in that by opposites they are illuminative of the reasons for M. A. C. men making good in the army camps.

"Believing it might be interesting and helpful to schools and colleges in the present emergency, your attention

is invited to the following observations of a candidate at one of the Reserve Officers' Training Camps, as to the probable causes of the considerable number of rejections of candidates for reserve officers at the training camps.

"Perhaps the most glaring fault noted in aspirants to the Officers' Reserve Corps and one that might be corrected by proper attention in our high schools, preparatory schools and colleges, might be characterized by the general word, "Slouchiness." I refer to what might be termed a mental and physical indifference. I have observed at camp many otherwise excellent men who have failed because in our school system sufficient emphasis is not placed upon the avoidance of this mental and physical handicap. In the work of the better Government Military Schools of the world this slowness in thought, presentation, and bearing is not tolerated because the aim of all military training is accuracy. At military camps throughout the country mental alertness, accuracy in thinking and acting, clearness in enunciation, sureness and ease of carriage and bearing must be insisted upon, for two reasons; that success may be assured as nearly as human effort can guarantee it with the material and means at hand, and that priceless human lives may not be criminally sacrificed. Only by the possession of the qualities referred to does one become a natural leader.

"A great number of men have failed at camp because of inability to articulate clearly. A man who cannot impart his idea to his command in clear distinct language, and with sufficient volume of voice to be heard reasonably far, is not qualified to give commands upon which human life will depend. Many men disqualified by this handicap might have become officers under their country's flag had they been properly trained in school and college. It is to be hoped therefore that more emphasis will be placed upon the basic principles of elocution in the training of our youth. Even without prescribed training in elocution a great improvement could be wrought by the instructors in our schools and colleges, regardless of the subject, insisting that all answers be given in a loud, clear, well rounded voice; which, of course, necessitates the opening of the mouth and free movement of the lips. It is remarkable how many excellent men suffer from this handicap, and how almost impossible it is to correct this after the formative years of life.

"In addition to this physical disability and slouchiness is what might be termed the slouchiness of mental attitude. Many men fail to measure up to the requirements set for our officers' Reserve because they have not been trained to appreciate the importance of accuracy in thinking. Too many schools are satisfied with an approximate answer to a question. Little or no incentive is given increased men-

tal effort to co-ordinate one's ideas and present them clearly and unequivocally. Insistence upon decision in thought and expression must never be lost sight of. This requires eternal vigilance on the part of every teacher. It is next to impossible for military instructors to do much to counteract the negligence of schools in this regard. This again has cost many men their commissions at camp. Three months is too short a time in which to teach an incorrigible "beater-about-the bush" that there is but one way to answer a question oral or written, and that is positively clearly and accurately. The form of the oral answer in our schools should be made an important consideration of instruction.

"I have further noted at camp that even some of our better military schools have turned out products that while many of them may have the bearing of a soldier in ranks, yet their carriage is totally different as soon as they "fall out." Schools, military and non-military, should place more insistence upon the bearing of pupils all the time. It should become a second nature with them to walk and carry themselves with the bearing of an officer and a gentleman. This again is a characteristic that cannot be acquired in a short time and, when coupled with other disqualifying elements has mitigated against the success of men in training camps.

"As a last important element that seems to me has been lacking in the moral and mental make-up of some of our students here is the characteristic of grit. Not that they would have proven cowardly in battle, necessarily, but some have exhibited a tendency to throw up the sponge upon the administration of a severe rebuke or criticism. Their "feelings have been hurt" and they resign. They have never been taught the true spirit of subordination. They are not ready for the rough edges of life. The true training school should endeavor to inculcate that indomitable spirit that enables one to get out of self, to keep one's eyes fixed upon the goal rather than upon the roughness of the path, to realize that one unable to rise above the hard knocks of discipline cannot hope to face with equanimity the tremendous responsibilities of the officer under modern conditions of warfare. This ideal of grit belongs in the school room as well as upon the campus.

DR. HORACE E. BUNCE, JR., '90.

News has just been received of the death of Dr. Horace E. Bunce, Jr., '90, which occurred in Pittsburg, Pa., Sunday morning, October 28. Death resulted from blood poisoning contracted in the course of his surgical work in the safety department hospital of the Jones & Laughlin Steel Company. A slight cut in the hand was received during an operation and, while given

an antiseptic treatment at the time, it developed conditions that caused death ten days later.

"Dr. Bunce was born 47 years ago in Marysville, Michigan, and was a member of one of Michigan's oldest families. He graduated from the agricultural course at M. A. C. in 1890 and subsequently studied medicine in the Western Reserve University. He graduated from the medical department of the Western University of Pennsylvania, Pittsburgh, Pa., in 1900. He then served one year in the dispensary of the University and shortly thereafter he opened an office in Pittsburgh and for several years enjoyed a lucrative practice until his health failed him. He then spent six years in extensive traveling for the benefit of his health, finally returning to Pittsburgh about one year ago to take up the surgical work with the steel company. Dr. Bunce had fully recovered his health, it seems, and his death came as he was getting well established, having received numerous promotions in his professional work with the steel company.

He leaves a wife, formerly Miss Jennie Kunkle of Pittsburgh, whom he married in 1907. His many Pittsburgh friends, particularly those of M. A. C. deeply mourn his loss.

FRANK HEWITT, WITH '74.

The death of Frank Hewitt, with '74, occurred at his home in Okemos on October 29, following three years of illness and delicate health. Mr. Hewitt attended M. A. C. for two years in 1871-72, and following that was assistant superintendent and teacher in the industrial school at Eldora, Iowa. Later he held the same position in St. Paul, Minn. At the time of J. E. St. John's becoming superintendent of the Lansing Industrial school, Mr. Hewitt accepted a position as assistant and instructor there. On leaving industrial school work he divided his time between his East Lansing residence and his stock farm at Okemos.

Besides the widow, Mr. Hewitt is survived by a daughter, Nina B. Hewitt, '11, who received a degree at the University of Michigan in 1917, and Marguerite Hewitt, who attended M. A. C. three years with '17.

M. A. C. MEETING AT GRAND RAPIDS "LIVEST" YET.

100 Attend Banquet.

"Not the biggest, but the livest yet" characterized the meeting of M. A. C. people at the annual banquet in the Chamber of Commerce dining room at Grand Rapids Friday noon, November 2, during the State Teachers' Association meeting.

In the half hour before the luncheon allotted to glad hand greetings and little class get-togethers, M. A. C.

spirit flowed freely and college "pep" began to be stirred up in such big handfuls that vents were necessary and given in class yells and college songs. So spirited were these that the halls of the Chamber of Commerce building reverberated and brought recollections of youth and college days to many a "tired business man" on adjoining floors.

Several Grand Rapids alumni helped in the welcoming. Professor French with his glad hand and smile, Chet Spaulding, '14, and Ray Turner, '10, as yell leaders were the chief pep agitators.

An even one hundred sat down to the banquet served by the Chamber of Commerce staff. Professor French, after outlining the purposes and history of this annual M. A. C. meeting, introduced Mrs. Minnie Johnston Starr, '10, as toastmistress. President Kedzie was the first speaker, and upon his introduction as "Uncle Frank," addressed the gathering as "nieces and nephews." His talk on "M. A. C.'s Hopes" briefed several of the objectives for which the college is striving in the following: (a) A better football team next year; (b) A course for agricultural teachers under the Smith-Hughes bill; (c) A reserve officers training unit by next spring term; (d) A complete gymnasium before the Germans get it; (e) Within one year the return of all M. A. C. men now in the uniform of Uncle Sam.

President Emeritus Snyder spoke on the faculty and characterized our faculty leaders, past and present, as being men of vision. "M. A. C. Girls" was the subject to which Anna Cowles, '15, responded, which was followed by a talk by Lindemann on "M. A. C. Men." Both Miss Cowles and Lindemann told of the splendid part that M. A. C. men and women are taking in the war.

The following M. A. C. alumni and former students were present at the banquet: E. L. Grover, '07; Kathryn Tobias, '14; Margaret Johnston, with '18; C. M. McCrary, '16; Ella L. Hilliker, '17; Orene Smith, '17; J. F. Sheldon, '17; Eldo Robb, '16; Grace Martin, '16; L. D. Sears, '16; Hazel Ramsay, '14; Jane Todd, '15; Harry Gottheimer, '15; Glenn I. Hobbs, '16; E. G. Kenny, '05; R. G. Voorhorst, '10; Nina B. Hewitt, '11; W. J. Rawson, '16; Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Wells, '16; Sadie I. Bates, '16; Carol Davis, '16; Zella Kimmel, '11; May K. Curren, '14; Ray H. Storm, '14; Clara G. Rogers, '14; Lucy M. Moran, '17; Lillie A. Thomason, '16; Dorothy Lewis, '16; Barbara Van Heulen, '10; G. C. White, with '11; Alice Powell, '17; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Skinner, '01; Wm. J. Atchison, '16; Mrs. Wm. J. Atchison, '17; Helen Pratt, '16; R. A. Turner, '09; C. P. Pressley, '16; A. G. Kettunen, '17; C. J. Seidel, '17; C. W. McKibbin, '11; B. O. Hagerman, with '18; Bessie L. Rogers, '14; Ruth R. Reed, '14; A. Mac-

Vittie, '11; Walter A. Wood, '12; E. C. Lindemann, '11; Geo. T. Galliver, '17; Miss E. Merle Heath —; Asa L. McCartney, '13; C. Lee Harrison, '12; Esther Vallean, '17; Eva Byrne, with '20; Ellen Thompson, '14; Bessie Turner, '16; Laverne Jones, '16; Mae Hamilton, '15; G. O. Stewart, '17; Mrs. E. D. McBain, '79; Edna V. Smith, '03; Muriel Twigg, '10; M. H. Shearer, '16; R. H. McWilliams, '17; Josephine Carver, '17; H. C. Rather, '17; Helen Petrie, '16; Lucy Rose Corbett, '14; F. S. Kedzie, '77; H. Gertrude Alden, '11; Myssie Bennett Wandel, '11; Esther Keating, '16; Winifred Felton Duthie, '11; Minnie Johnston Starr, '10; Dwight S. Cole, '93; Reeve Hinyan, '16; Florence Moore, '15; J. P. Munson, with '03; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Gallup, '12; Mary Darrah Mueller, '15; Mary Pennington Otte, '11; Frank F. Hebard, '12; D. W. Bradford, '09; D. L. Hagerman, '13; Grace Hitchcock, '15.

As guests of M. A. C. people were C. E. Ackley, Marshall; H. G. Smith, Grand Rapids; Mrs. Albert Ives, Mrs. Wm. A. McGraw, and Mrs. Mary Grosvenor, Detroit; and George E. Farrell, Washington, D. C.

Much of the success of the meeting was due to the efforts of Prof. French who, assisted by E. L. Grover, '07, took complete charge of the arrangements.

MEATLESS BARBECUE BIG SUCCESS.

The annual sophomore-freshman barbecue, started years back when the class of '11 were sophs, was held Friday evening, November 2, at the usual time and the usual place. But there was an unusual feature about this particular barbecue in that it was purely a wartime function and strictly meatless.

For after looking over their exchequer and feeling a wee bit poverty stricken from their generous purchase of Liberty Bonds, the class of 1920 decided that it would be more in keeping with the wishes of Mr. Hoover to have a barbecue without the roast ox. As a substitute, and one that filled the bill almost equally as well as roast beef, was that stable luncheon delicacy, the Club C doughnut. Along with this were liberal quantities of good old apple cider.

As usual during the day the sophomores pressed and drafted and otherwise inveigled freshmen into service to prepare the spot for the bonfire between Wells and the Kedzie Chemical laboratory.

At 7 in the evening the bonfire was lighted and the band struck up such spirit inspiring college melodies as "Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here," "On Wisconsin," and other "jaz" tunes. F. M. Moody, '20, conducted the evening's program and introduced J. B. Hasselman, instructor in English, who gave a pointed talk on class

spirit and college feeling. Coach Brewer then gave a talk on the barbecue, its purpose and its history. In conclusion Mr. Brewer inspired the new men with the definition of true M. A. C. spirit and urged them in his forceful earnest manner to stand firmly behind the college in all things. Captain Coryell spoke on the progress of the football team and was followed by President Redner of the sophomore class, who made to President Bateman of the freshmen the customary presentation of the carving knife, which is handed down from one class to the next at this annual affair. With this presentation all class differences are thrown down, memories of scraps and hazings are obliterated as bygones, and the freshmen are allowed to enter the sanctum of the student body proper without further molestation. Tommy Dee, Holcad editor, acted as yell master during the festivities and the usual amount of pep and college spirit was stirred up with cheers and songs.

At this point the band struck up "Where Do We Go From Here," and the crowd moved to a stand in front of Wells where the meatless "eats" were handed out with true sophomore hospitality. The meeting disbanded at 9:30, everyone inwardly satisfied and outwardly proclaiming the first meatless barbecue a huge success.

SHORT COURSE IN TELEGRAPHY STARTS DECEMBER 3.

It has just been decided to establish a short course in telegraphy at M. A. C. and plans are being formulated to begin the course Monday, December 3. An equipment of twenty instruments has been ordered from Chicago and will be installed in one of the rooms of the R. E. Olds Hall of Engineering.

Paul G. Andres, with '16, who is a skilled operator, has just been secured to take charge of the course. Andres finished his junior year at M. A. C. in the engineering department and since has been teaching manual training at Bessemer, Mich., from which place he comes to M. A. C. Previous to his college work he served a three-year enlistment in the navy where he became very proficient both as a sender and receiver in wireless. During the time that Andres was in college he was electrical repair man, and with his training and experience is particularly fitted to take charge of the course.

The details of the work to be covered are yet to be worked out and, while it is hoped that elementary work in electricity may be included, the very great demand from the government for telegraphers and the immediate need of 15,000 experienced senders and receivers may preclude any course except the work of learning and becoming proficient in the Morse code.

M. A. C. HOME COMING NOV. 24 A BIG FAMILY AFFAIR

That includes alumni, former students and present students. A combination that unites to make home coming something you'll remember. Everyone, or most everyone, of the big M. A. C. family will be there for a big joyous good time. How about you?

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE PROGRAM:

Meeting of Members of the Executive Committee of M. A. C. Association, Alumni Secretary's Office, Car Station Building, 10:30 a. m.

Alumni Registration at Alumni Secretary's Office, Car Station Building, 8 a. m. to 2 p. m.

Alumni Get-Together, Union Literary House, 11 a. m.

Alumni Luncheon, Club to be announced later, at noon, followed by program of talks led by President Prudden.

M. A. C.-Syracuse Game, College Field, 2 p. m.

Literary Societies At Home Saturday Night and an M. A. C. Union Party Saturday night in the Armory. Definite information next week.

In this issue is being sent a form enclosure with which it is sincerely hoped that every one planning to attend the Home-Coming festivities will notify us of the number of tickets desired for the game and number of seats for the luncheon. Alumni headquarters will be in the Alumni Secretary's office in the south side of the Car Station building. Register as soon as you get off the car. Luggage can be left here in perfect safety and tickets for the noon luncheon can be obtained.

The Union Literary Society have kindly offered their house for the convenience of alumni in assembling for the luncheon. And after the luncheon there'll be some pertinent talks by some of the "livest" M. A. C. boasts. At 2 the crowd will march to College Field for the Syracuse game. And it will be a good game, too.

Many of the literary societies are planning special entertainments for their old members Saturday evening. The Eclectics in particular are planning a home coming all their own with a dinner and special program Saturday night. Also the Eunomians in their new home.

to my great regret, that he is still compelled to have a special nurse.

I am sure we all appreciate that a busy, active man like Palmer severely feels the enforced idleness and confinement. Now, if every member of the class would write him a letter, that would not only please him but would give him something to think about and occupy the long hours as the days drag by.

Let me say to each one of you, do not read this and think it would be a good idea, but sit down and write your letter while you have that sort of a good thought in your mind.

While I am sending a message to my classmates I would like to suggest that the class of '81 has overlooked an opportunity in the way of leaving some sort of memorial of the class on the college campus. As far as I know, all of the members of the class have achieved more or less success, and all are fairly prosperous. Would it not be a good idea to decide on something worth while that we might do and show our regard for the institution that has helped to put us where we are today, and when money is called for let us do our part to carry out the plan, whatever it may be. I am ready to do my part. Are you?

A MESSAGE TO '81.

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 19, 1917.
Dear Editor:

I receive the RECORD regularly and enjoy reading it because it keeps me in touch with the various activities of the institution, as well as telling me what some of the boys of long ago are doing.

The boys of '81 must be a very busy lot for it is seldom that anything appears in the RECORD from one of our class. I want you to make a note of the matter that follows:

I am wondering how many of the boys of '81 (and our honored one girl) know that our esteemed classmate, Dr. Byron S. Palmer, who lives at Palmyra, N. Y., has been very ill for the last three months or more. I saw him in the hospital at Rochester on July 29th and 30th, where he was recovering from two operations, one being a very painful mastoid operation, with the bare possibility that the other ear would have to be operated upon in the same manner.

I found him, as we always have known him, hopeful and cheerful under most trying conditions. I have just heard from him, only to learn

Let us hear from some of those who appear to have forgotten that they were once at M. A. C.

With best wishes,

Very truly yours,

A. H. VOIGT, '81.

AGGIE CROSS COUNTRY TEAM WINS MEET.

The third intercollegiate cross-country meet, held last Saturday, resulted in a victory for M. A. C. with 13 points, U. of M. with 17 points coming second and Albion placing third with 27 points.

The big cross-country cup which was offered for competition three years ago by the M. A. C. Athletic Association at the inauguration of the intercollegiate cross-country, is resting secure in the athletic office. It was prevented by this year's team from going permanently to the University of Michigan, which has won it in the two previous annual events.

Only three teams entered this year's contest, although a number of others sent in their regrets with the hope that they might have material in shape to enter next year.

Geiermann of M. A. C. was first, Brandel of our freshman team was second, with Sedgwick, Michigan, third, and Captain Longnecker of our varsity finishing fourth. For such a distance run the race was close, the first four men finishing within a hundred feet of each other. The time 19:29 2/5 was rather slow as compared to last year when Carroll of the U. of M. ran it in 17:10.

WEDDINGS.

KEITH-MOORE.

Announcement has just been received of the marriage of Margaret O. Moore and Bert W. Keith, '11, on October 31, at Rossville, Indiana. Mr. and Mrs. "Bert" are now at home at Keith Bros. Nursery, Sawyer, Mich.

TRADEWELL-GERARD.

The wedding of Sadie B. Gerard and Avery Pixley Tradewell, '17, occurred October 31 at the home of the bride in Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Tradewell are at home at 1155 Lafayette Blvd., W., Detroit.

RIDDELL-SWEET.

One we almost overlooked. F. T. Riddell, '13, and Mabel J. Sweet, with '10, were married on the 26th of June, at the home of the bride's parents at Grandville, Mich. Riddell is assistant in dairying at the college.

BURNETT-VALENTINE.

The marriage of J. Eric Burnett, '15, and Ruth Valentine of Webster, Michigan, occurred August 4 at the bride's home in Webster. Burnett is assistant professor of dairy husbandry.



THE ARBORETUM PATH.

The campus looks better than it ever did. Attend Home Coming and see for yourself.

'10.

Lakin Brown with Mrs. Brown and their small daughter Molly J. visited Secretary and Mrs. Brown on the campus October 29 and 30. The 29th was the occasion of the 32nd wedding anniversary of Secretary and Mrs. Brown and the second anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Lakin Brown. "Lak" is running the home farm at Schoolcraft.

DARK DUNLAP AND BRIGHT BERMAN BRING DEFEAT TO M.

A. C. 14-0.

Two shining lights on the Kalamazoo Normal football team, Dunlap, a colored gentleman, and his running mate, Berman, were responsible in large measure for our defeat on College Field last Saturday. Our defense failed to hold against their onslaughts of line plunging and end running.

The first two quarters of the game were played in a nip and tuck style and it seemed for a time that Brewer's men had a fair chance of victory. About the middle of the quarter Snyder put the ball over the goal line, but fumbled and it went to the other side. This seemed to be the breaking point of the game, for from then on luck rolled toward Kalamazoo. In the third stage Olsen started things moving when he worked his way through our line for a touchdown. Dunlap repeated the stunt by scoring on a long run down the field for sixty-five yards. Olsen kicked both goals, which ended the scoring, and from then on the Green and White men rallied and were able to hold the Normals through the rest of the battle.

Snyder starred for M. A. C. in the second period by a neat set of end run plays, one of which he strung out for forty yards. Dunlap and Berman played the big game for the Normals, both being brilliant field runners and dodgers.

Director Brewer announces that Hammes will be back in the game against Northwestern, which will strengthen the back field considerably.

The line-up:

M. A. C.	Kalamazoo.
Ramsay	L.E. Huston
Coryell	L.T. Chapel
Loeffler	L.G. Miller
Archer	C. Vroegenbervay
Bailey	R.G. Stockdale
Franson	R.T. Allen
Bassett	R.E. Millar
Kellogg	Q.B. Berman
Turner	L.H. Thomas
Snider	R.H. Dunlap
McCool	F.B. Olsen

Score by quarters:

Kalamazoo	0	0	14	0-14
M. A. C.	0	0	0	0-0

Referee, Dan Riter, Wisconsin. Umpire, G. Lawton, U. of M. Head linesman, J. Cox, Ohio State. Time, four 15 minute quarters, 15 minutes intermission between halves.

Substitutions: M. A. C., Miller for Bailey. Kalamazoo: Smith for Miller.

'70.

Charles Garfield, who several years ago gave to the city of Grand Rapids a playground which is said to be one of the most beautiful in America, has recently added and developed several acres adjoining. The value of the property embraced in the second gift to the city is estimated at \$25,000.

IRISH BACKFIELD TOO MUCH.

The M. A. C. freshmen were defeated by Notre Dame freshmen, score 7-0, in a preliminary to the Kalamazoo Normal game Saturday afternoon. The freshmen played a fighting game for three quarters and at times threatened to score on their opponents. The Notre Dame backfield of Irishmen, Hogan, Donnelly and Dooley, proved too much in the fourth quarter and Hogan went over for a touchdown and kicked goal: The line-up:

M. A. C.	Notre Dame.
Swing	L.E. Miles
Leach	L.T. Zohs
Lafond	L.G. Owens
Parks	C. Cooney
Chapman	R.G. Murphy
Sullivan	R.T. Blum
Wilson	R.E. Urope
Drdlitz	Q.B. Hogan
Noble	L.H. Donovan
Graves	R.H. Dooley
Mueller	F.B. Lombardo

Score by quarters:

Notre Dame	0	0	7-7
M. A. C.	0	0	0-0

MANY OPPORTUNITIES IN FORESTRY.

Professor Chittenden reports a very large demand for trained foresters. A great many requests for men were received during the summer, more than could be filled. A short time ago he was asked to recommend 10 men for commissions as lieutenant in the Engineer Officers' Reserve Corps with a view to service with the 20th Engineers Regiment (Forest). A request has been recently received, asking for trained foresters to go to Central America to work for a lumber company at \$1,200 a year to start with. The increased demand for lumber, due to the war, has resulted in a need for men by lumber companies and many vacancies have been caused by the rapid promotion of men from one position to another. With the small classes to be graduated from the forest schools of the country during the next two years, the demand for trained men is certain to increase.

RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, Our Heavenly Father has taken from us the beloved brother, Forester A. H. Hunzicker, be it

Resolved, That the members of the Forestry Club extend to his family our most sincere sympathy.

Be it Further Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family and that they be published in the Record.

Signed: H. Dorr, Jr., H. C. Diehl, R. Thompson, N. Kessler, J. M. Bennett.

MEN IN SERVICE.

The RECORD is being sent to all M. A. C. men in service, whether or not they were former subscribers. At the suggestion of President Kedzie the State Board authorized the sending of your RECORD as a college expense. It is the intention that every M. A. C. man, no matter how long his attendance at college, shall have the RECORD. If you aren't receiving it, let's hear from you and send the names of any other M. A. C. men you know of who are serving in the army or navy, who are not receiving it.

And if you haven't filled out the war record form that came in the issue of October 19, please do so at once. It will eventually be a record of your contribution to M. A. C.'s chapter of war history.

CORRESPONDENCE.

October 8, 1917.

My Dear Cliff:

After searching this missive you will find the \$2.00 check which will carry me along in good standing for another year.

I am busy this fall with teaching and extension work. Until snow flies I shall probably be out through the state several days each week, and after December 3 I may get out on some extension school work. My teaching gives promise of being less arduous than last year, but the extension work is growing. Except for the fact that it takes me away from home so much and leaves Jean all alone, I like the extension work very much. It certainly is giving me a splendid acquaintance with New York state.

I saw Prof. J. Fred Baker last month. He is director of experimental work at Syracuse, and much the same as ever. He also has charge of their summer camp.

The Cornell Forestry department which last year registered 110 students has 45 this year. Most of our upper class men have gone into some kind of war service, so that this is largely confined to the first two classes. The registration for the university as a whole is about 65 per cent of normal, with a considerable increase in girls.

Sincerely,

HARRIS COLLINGWOOD, '11.

LETTER WRITES FROM ALASKA.

King Cove, Alaska, Sept. 18, 1917.
Dear Harold:

Your letter written July 4th reached me in this out-of-the-way place on Sept. 10th. And it is through no fault of mine that you do not receive this before Oct. 16th. Everything is er-

ratic up here but the mail is worst. It comes once a month and all of the letters are usually quite ancient. Our mail goes from here to Seward, thence to Seattle. Last month the mail boat running from Seward westward was at least two weeks late. She was stuck in the mud for several days near the mouth of the Kuskokwin river in the Bering Sea. Then it took her five days to go a hundred miles. It is dangerous to travel in the fog up here.

I left Washington, D. C., on the 27th of June and came directly to Seattle where I spent a week helping to get ready for the trip up here. The trip across the continent and the week's stay in Seattle were surely interesting and instructive. It seems that all of my wishes have been granted in all of this work.

After a brief delay twelve of us left Seattle on the 10th of July. It was my first experience on the deep blue ocean and I assure you that there were times when I most earnestly wished that I might be on terra firma again. We went by way of the inside passage so there wasn't much rough traveling until we started westward. The first night of the rough stuff was a fright. When we went to bed everything seemed very calm. But about twelve o'clock she began to roll and pitch, so that at one instant we were looking at the distant horizon and at the next hanging on to the side of the berth and looking almost directly down into the water. But I finally became accustomed to all of this so that I could get a little more joy out of life. But there were other sufferers on board. There were nearly 600 sheep in pens on the forward deck that didn't enjoy the trip. You see there are no regular passenger boats running from Seattle out here so we went on a boat belonging to the cannery company.

This place has been our home since July 20th, almost two months. Lovers of the quiet life would have plenty of opportunity to enjoy themselves here. The only noises are made by the wind and the sea gulls. The latter are especially aggravating at times as they fly over with that peculiar horse laugh of theirs. They seem to be making fun of us. I cannot describe the way the wind blows for there is no place on God's green earth where there is such an abundance of wind. At times it falls off the mountains and sweeps across the valley with terrific force. All of the houses (that are high enough to deserve that name and therefore require it) are well braced. In connection with this wind there is usually a large supply of moisture, not the respectable kind that we have down below, but the kind that travels in sheets and blows into every crack and crevice.

Even the natives don't stay here in the winter time. Most of the shacks have been vacated by the natives and our men have moved from the breezy

FROM UNDER THE FLAG

HARVEY, '15, WRITES "FLYING"
IMPRESSIONS.

United States Flying Field,
Hempstead, L. I., N. Y., Oct. 22.
To the Record Ed., Greetings:

Just a note to say thanks for sending the past issues of the Record to one who has enjoyed every number. It certainly is a welcome stunt to send the M. A. C. news, which the Record contains, to fellows in the service and I, for one, express my hearty approval of the plan. Your job of keeping the addresses of all the fellows is no small one, for I am never certain what my own address is to be from day to day.

Since you have been giving me the news of M. A. C. and the men in service through your columns I think it is quite fair to tell you a bit about some of the work and experiences you might expect if you were in the cloud dusting squadron.

Of course everybody wants to know first of all how it feels to fly, and if one doesn't get dizzy, and how much nerve it takes; all of which can be answered as most college questions can, "It depends on circumstances." But right here I want to remark that it took more nerve to take a bath with the cold water they gave us when I first arrived than it did or does to be ten aviators.

As far as sensations go, you usually get two memorable ones, viz., your first "joy ride" and your first trip all by yourself, the latter giving more cause for worry.

The sensation in the air is quite similar to that of being in a fast motor boat, only the "bumps" are bigger and more startling because you can't see them. On "rough" days the "bird" is thrown about, often quite violently and your stomach makes its presence known in no very pleasant manner. In fact I have come to believe that the center of man's inertia is in his stomach, at least it always continues on the old line of flight while your body follows the motion of the machine. After a while you get used to sudden rises and falls and side twists, a condition that makes for comfort.

Many are made sick by their first trip; I think very few are really scared, although everyone is nervous and tense. It is much worse to ride than to fly yourself, just as in automobiling one doesn't notice the bumps or slips as much when driving as when sitting with the driver. Nearly all are most worried by the first couple of hundred feet up and the last couple of hundred down, a very fortunate state inasmuch as that is the most dangerous part of the flight, and

too much caution cannot be used at such elevations.

After you are up well off the surface there is no cause for worry and most people feel secure at higher elevation even on their first ride. One cannot but marvel at the power and strength of the motor as you travel forward and upward. It was my experience that you felt that you were standing still and a toy or miniature world being passed in review beneath. The most alarming condition to the beginner is experienced on sharp turns, figure eights and close spirals for the earth and sky have a wonderful way of getting all mixed together and it is rather alarming to see the horizon tipped up at a 45 degree angle for as I said before the earth always seems to do the turning and tipping. Today I am turned loose, i. e., made my first flight alone and I'll admit I was a bit lonesome, but there isn't so much time to think about that with 20 or 30 other machines to dodge and turns and landings to be made.

The instruction force here is fine and they certainly can do landings and teach others to do the same. I've been here a month and up to the present time I haven't seen a poor landing (I haven't seen my own), but when you consider that there are about 500 to 750 landings daily you can readily see that it speaks well of the instruction.

Today two "Caproni (Italian) machines flew over from Newport News, one a small scout plane capable of 125 miles per hour, and the other a battle plane which will carry 25 men. It has motors totaling 2,100 H. P. Some bus. Mess (supper) time. Thanks again for the RECORD.

Cordially,
E. M. (Harv.) HARVEY, '15,
S. E. R. C.

Navy Rifle Range, Great Lakes, Ill.,
October 11, 1917.

Editor M. A. C. RECORD.

Dear Sir: I do not know just when my subscription expires but I am enclosing two dollars (\$2.00) to cover dues for the M. A. C. Association and a year's subscription to the RECORD.

I notice in the RECORDS that I have received this year that they are trying to keep located the men belonging to the different branches of the Service. This intention was also declared in the RECORDS of last spring soon after the war broke out and I sent a letter stating that there were three M. A. C. men in the division of Naval Militia at Grand Rapids. This letter must have been lost or never delivered because none of those names were print-

tents into the somewhat more hospitable buildings. If the natives would not stay here a whole year a white man surely wouldn't want to. But there are three who do. One of them, the wireless operator, has a white wife. The others have native women. The wireless outfit, by the way, isn't much good for he has to send to the westward and then have the message sent back east over his head. This is due to the peculiar place in which we are situated.

The man who selected this as a site for a salmon cannery must have come in here at this time of the year for the weather has sure been fine for nearly two weeks. King Cove stands on the Pacific side of the Alaska peninsula at about latitude N. 55.03; longitude 162.21½ W. There are mountains on three sides and the ocean on the other. At the mouth of the bay there is a small island. It would appear from this that we are well protected from bad weather. But there are two valleys to the north of us through which the wind sweeps from the Bering Sea. Even Mother Nature herself becomes disgusted at times and shakes herself with the intention, I suppose, of getting rid of the place. Earlier in the season we had several severe earthquakes.

I have climbed to the top of a couple of the mountains. The first few hundred feet are covered with thick grass and alder bushes. But these gradually disappear until the last few hundred feet are nothing but small rocks so steep that one almost lies down while standing up.

Since the cannery men have gone this place has been quiet (like a forest). Many of them had been here since last February, so there were no sad farewells when they left King Cove behind. One of them said that if the Lord would forgive him for coming up here this time he would never do it again. On a particularly windy day one of our men asked him whether the wind blew that way all of the time. He replied, No, sometimes it blows the other way.

Though we aren't doing any surveying this season I am getting a lot of experience in ship repairing that may be useful.

As the opening day for school comes nearer the longing to get back becomes stronger.

Give all of the gang my best regards. To me, 5,000 miles away from home and among strangers, the memory of those old days is most dear.

Write and tell me the news when you have time. Fraternally,

L. O. STEWART, '17E.

Address C. and Geod. Sur., 202 Burke Bldg., Seattle, Wash., U. S. S. Yukon.

*16.

A. H. Atzenhoffer sends his address as 1119 E. 54th St., Chicago.

ed in your War Service Record of September 14th, 1917, and I myself as a Marine which does not set at all unless one is in that Service. (Pardon us Dan.)

To make the correction I will state that I am lieutenant in the National Naval Volunteers (N. N. V.) and am at present doing duty as commanding officer of the rifle range at the Great Lakes Training Station, Great Lakes, Ill.

The other men I mentioned are Le-land B. Kellogg, Jr., who is an Ensign on board the U. S. S. Iowa and has charge of the engineering aboard that ship. He is also an N. N. V. Harry D. Kuyers, formerly with the class of '18, is now with me at the rifle range and he is rated as boatswain's mate, 1st class, and has had charge of all construction work at the range.

LIEUT. D. D. HENRY, '15.

Nov. 5, 1917.

Dear Kibbie:

Enclosed find my check for two beans for which enter my subscription to the M. A. C. RECORD for another year. Uncle Sam has decided that he needs my services so I am now at Camp Custer in the Artillery, which if I remember right you used to be mixed up with so you know how it is. My address to send the RECORD to is as follows: Corp. Benj. C. Porter, Jr., Battery A, 328th Field Artillery (Bar-racks 1223), Camp Custer, Mich.

I am clerk of the battery which carries with it the rank of corporal. Military life seems to agree with me as I have gained 8 lbs. since coming.

BEN C. PORTER, '11A.

October 12, 1917.

Editor M. A. C. RECORD,
East Lansing, Mich.

Dear Sir:

You will find enclosed \$2.00, for which please credit me with a subscription to the M. A. C. RECORD and dues to the M. A. C. Association, as per your letter.

I am in service with a company of N. Y. Coast Artillery at Fort Tilden, Rockaway, L. I. We are mounting four 12-inch mortars. This is a new seacoast fortification. However, we expect it will be a permanent post.

I would very much like to visit M. A. C. as I have not been there since graduation in 1912. The present prospects, however, are not very encouraging.

Best wishes for a successful year.

Sincerely yours,

LT. JAMES A. SMITH, '12,
Fort Tilden,
Rockaway, N. Y.

JUST FROM FRANCE.

Oct. 10, 1917.

Dean Bissell:

As today is the opening of college, I believe, I am thinking of M. A. C. a little more than usual. Though it

never gets far out of my mind, it is quite a habit for me to arrive in East Lansing about this time of the year.

I believe you always like to know where graduate engineers are located. The best I can do is give you my address and say that I am very, very proud to be chosen for active service at once, especially with my present rank.

I presume the new building is complete for use this year and I trust the incoming class will be large. I hope so under present conditions.

Am well and enjoy three hearty meals a day. Still could enjoy the T. B. Pi banquet this fall, though I imagine it will be sort of uphill work for that organization this year with quite a percentage of the boys away.

Have exhausted all subjects that I can write about except to say that it is raining. Am enjoying my duties very much and am glad to do my bit.

With kindest regards to Mrs. Bissel, I am

Cordially yours,

WM. D. THOMPSON, '17,
1st Lieut., c/o B. C. M. Paris,
U. S. Infantry France, via N. Y.

Picked up on the Campus

The East Lansing State Bank has on display its gold reserve in the shape of ten bushels of prize winning potatoes raised in and about East Lansing.

Frank Mitchell, college electrician, who has been laid up several days from injuries sustained from a fall while working on the wiring of the new gymnasium, is able to be about again.

Men in uniform are frequent visitors of the campus over week ends, coming for a little visit from Camp Custer or other stations nearby. Last Saturday a number attended the senior party in the Ag building. They were Lt. "China" Clark, '16; Carlson, '17, and Saunders, '18, who are taking the U. of M. quartermaster stores course, and Ralph Dodge, '14.

Bids for membership to the girls' literary societies went out Saturday night and Sunday morning ribbons of multi colors were on display on the campus. The usual sorrowing and rejoicing from upper class girls accompanied the showing of their chosen colors by the freshmen.

The estimate on uniforms for the freshmen has been received by Major Wrightson and apparently the best price that can be made on the complete uniform is \$30.15. In former

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years freshmen have been in the habit of equipping themselves for from \$14 to \$16. Accordingly there is some consternation among the "rookies" and it is rumored that a committee will appear before the faculty to protest the purchase of a complete uniform at that figure. A change from the long trousers to the riding breeches and leggings will undoubtedly be effected with the entering class this year.

EAST LANSING CHURCH SURVEY...

The People's Church of East Lansing sent out seventy canvassers Sunday, November 4, who visited all the homes of East Lansing and gathered information for the church survey. They attempted to ascertain the needs and conditions of the homes and to learn the number of new residents and their church affiliations. The survey was followed by an open forum meeting in the evening at which canvassers aired their views on the church needs of the city. The matter of a larger auditorium for the city was discussed with considerable enthusiasm. There is a great need of a larger meeting place, since the regular Sunday services crowd the church to its capacity and many have to be turned away. The Sunday school rooms are especially crowded. The enthusiasm with which church work is being attacked this fall speaks well for the leadership of Rev. McCune, '02, who is striving hard to make the People's Church meet every need of a college city.

Alumni Notes

'78.
Cass E. Herrington, with '78, is a member of the Colorado State War Council and is president of the Denver Civic and Commercial Association. "the most influential body in Colorado."

'88.
Wm. A. Taylor is chief of the bureau of plant industry of the U. S. department of agriculture with address at 1315 Galatin St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

'94.
I. J. Quigley with '94, notifies us of a change of address from 1122 Jefferson Ave., Grand Rapids, to 5425 Dorchester Ave., Chicago, Ill.

'95.
M. G. Kains, horticultural consultant, Port Washington, N. Y., writes the following: "My seventh brain child is on the press. It is entitled 'Principles and Practice of Pruning,' a book containing over 400 pages with an average of more than one picture to the page. These illustrations practically tell the story; but I wrote a few words around them as a sort of frame. Some people buy 'landscapes'

at auction for the frames, you know. Of my little family of six, naturally I think the baby the best ever. I hope the neighbors all over this big country of ours will find it useful." He adds that in spite of the H. C. of L. and war prices he "can't afford to be an outsider of the M. A. C. Association."

'01.
Capt. Mark Ireland who is stationed at the Quartermasters Depot, Ft. Sam Houston, Texas, writes that he is organizing a general repair shop and desires men for department chiefs. He is seeking men who have had experience in factory production work.

'04.
Robert J. Baldwin, Jr., arrived August 11 at the home of Extension Director Robt. J. Baldwin, with '04, East Lansing. Mrs. Baldwin was Bertha Van Orden, '14.

W. J. Wright, former editor of the M. A. C. Record and now director of the New York State School of Agriculture, Alfred University, Alfred, N. Y., has just published a book of 286 pages on "Greenhouses, Their Construction and Equipment." The volume "attempts to meet the demands of owners and operators, present and prospective, who are seeking definite, concise information" about different forms of construction, heating and equipment for greenhouses, as well as being a text book for students and teachers in schools and colleges. The book goes into detail on materials, construction, heating, equipment, ventilating, water supply, etc., with plans, estimates and costs. It is published by the Orange Judd Co.

'09.
J. Sloat Wells and Arvilla Voss Wells, with '12, announce the arrival of their third son, J. Sloat, Jr., on October 17. Sloat is serving his country on the farm at R. No. 1, Elmira, N. Y.

'11.
Charlie Tubergen advises us of a change of address from Sweedsboro, N. J., to Presque Isle, Maine.

Dr. Arao Itano is assistant professor in the department of microbiology, Massachusetts Agricultural College, Amherst.

"Johnnie" Johnson, with '11, has just made application through Professor Chittenden for the 20th Engineers (Forest), now being mobilized at Washington, D. C.

'13.
D. D. Stone is a captain in the O. R. C. and stationed at Camp Lewis, American Lake, Wash.

Sam Brice is superintendent of Parks for the city of Flint and has an office adjacent to that of Friar, '12.

Richard Vosper, with '13, came down from Bois Blanc Island to apply through Professor Chittenden for the 20th Engineers (Forest). Dick has been employed with his father in extensive lumber operations on Bois

Blanc Island. His address is Sand Bay, Mich.

Rena Crane Loomis, writing from Raton, N. Mex., sends the sad news of the death of her husband, Lyon W. Loomis, on October 10, 1917, after an eight months' illness from Landry's paralysis. Mr. and Mrs. Loomis were married in January, 1916, and went to Raton to make their home. Mrs. Loomis will remain in Raton and continue the poultry business in which her husband was engaged.

Elmira Lewis sends an announcement of her recent marriage, in a rather casual manner by listing the items on the Record's information blank for changes of address and occupation. Under the item "Married women give full name" she writes "Mrs. Robert von Thurm," and under "General Remarks," "Wedding, Oct. 3, Ft. Wayne, Indiana." As a permanent address she gives Morgan Park, Duluth, Minn.

'14.
Oswald Gruhzt is city bacteriologist for Flint having been appointed after commencement in June.

Fred W. Temple, who has been an instructor in manual training in Kalamazoo high school, is now an electrician in the ship yards at the Great Lakes Engineering Co., Detroit.

E. C. Volz who has been teaching and doing graduate work for his master's degree at Cornell University, has just accepted a three months appointment at the college as an instructor in horticulture. Volz returned to the campus and began his duties at the opening of school. Following his graduation Volz spent a year and a half teaching horticulture at Ames, Iowa.

R. F. Irvin, who has been an instructor of poultry husbandry in Rutgers College, is now working with the Business Training Corporation of New York and is in charge of their Michigan territory except Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Irvin (Alice Wood, '14), and their two-year-old daughter moved from New Brunswick, N. J., to East Lansing in the summer and will remain here until about December 1, when Irvin will take up headquarters at Grand Rapids.



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before entering Cornell. He is now spending a Cornell "vacation" and will return to continue his work there the first of the year.

'15.

Albert H. Jewell, who is employed as assistant sanitary engineer in the State Board of Health with headquarters at Lansing, has just been given a commission as first lieutenant in the sanitary corps of the U. S. Army, following an examination taken at Ann Arbor recently. Jewell took his master's degree in sanitary engineering at the University of Michigan in 1916 and following that was assistant chemist at the Toledo water filtration plant. Before entering the Michigan State Board of Health he was assistant sanitary engineer in the Kansas Board of Health. Jewell is holding himself in readiness for a call at any time.

'16.

Fred A. Thompson of Newaygo, who was among those of the first draft, has been discharged from Camp Custer.

'17.

Born to Prof. and Mrs. J. F. Cox a nine-pound daughter, Martha Elizabeth, on October 25. Mrs. Cox was Catherine Crane, with '17.

G. W. Quick is a draftsman in the tool design department of the Dodge Bros. Motor Car Co. and sends his address as 2776 Herman Ave., Highland Park, Detroit.

Hazen P. English is now employed in the federal grain supervision bureau of the U. S. department of agriculture. His present address is 310 Postal Telegraph Bldg., Kansas City, Mo.

Myron S. Strong is farming on the 240-acre farm of Charles B. Wing of the Wing Seed Co., Mechanicsburg, Ohio, R. F. D. 4.

'18.

Harold A. Furlong, second lieutenant, O. R. C., in infantry, writes from Camp Funston, Kansas, "As far as I know there are no other M. A. C. men in Camp Funston. This cantonment is about fifteen miles from Manhattan, the location of the Kansas Aggie College. I am watching the Detroit papers with much anxiety for the M. A. C. football dope and say three cheers for M. A. C. and Brewer. I surely would like to be back in school this fall. * * * The RECORD can serve M. A. C. soldiers in a very worthy manner—you have an added opportunity to prove to Alma Mater that her sons are very busy and worthy to bear her name.

A. R. Sawall, writing from aboard the U. S. S. Iowa, c/o Postmaster, New York City, sends the following. "Chalk me down as another of the selected. Enlisted in the naval militia July 20 and am now on the Iowa. We have all our ammunition loaded and are ready to sail. No one knows where we are going. Some change of life. Here's hoping that old M. A. C.'s football team has a successful year, but I surely miss the games."

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