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EDITORIALY.

First we want to express appreciation for your splendid co-operation in answering the inquiries. Because of unlooked for reasons we have been prevented from getting this Bulletin to you when we hoped, so some of the news is a little old but most of it we have tried to bring right up to date and have left out some parts of the letters which would have been splendid to publish last spring, as for instance Bill Baumgras' ideas as to how we should run the war, etc., but would be a bit out of place now. However, true to the old saw about "ill wind indeed ————" we're not so sorry about the delay since it gives us the chance to send our very best Christmas and New Year's wishes to you all for

"Never a Christmas morning,
Never the old year ends,
But someone thinks of someone,
Old Times, old Scenes, old Friends."

The Lansing bunch has gotten out this Bulletin eight times now. Everybody who could be persuaded has been roped in on it and now we're turning the ninth and last (?) issue over to Charlie Lapworth and the Detroit bunch to edit. We decided on Charlie because if by chance he doesn't attend to things, his wife does for him. Come on, now, you Detroiters and give us the winner to wind up with before 1919.

In June Sammy Langdon asked if we'd let our Bulletin go out with the Record. We forget all of Sammy's reasons as to the mutual benefit to be derived from such an arrangement, but we were convinced at the time and now that Cliff McK. likes the idea, too, we are glad to "cooperate" and let Cliff have the job of mailing these to you!

OUR ROLL OF HONOR.

* * *

Capt. Wm. D. Frazer, en route "east."
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Karl Hophan, Camp Custer.

* * *

At the big M. A. C.-Syracuse game a week ago between halves there was music by a Camp Custer bugle and drum corps, our own band and the '1918 Jazz Band." This last was such a band as might have been led by Chappie. After we had applauded the bands, suddenly into the fields swung a company of co-eds dressed in white and wearing green sweaters. We looked on with admiration to see how splendidly they marched from the grandstand, past the west bleachers, to the end of the field, then back down the center in company front till they halted and stood at salute before a huge service flag with its five or six hundred stars. As the band played "Star Spangled Banner," the crowds on the bleachers stood silently with hats off and in our hearts we saluted you fellows especially, and all the others like you. Those were moments of deepest feeling for all of us when the seriousness of it all came home in a thrill of patriotism and the thought in our hearts then was and is now: "Good luck. God bless you and bring you back safe!"

OUR NEW GYMNASIUM.

Many '09ers will probably be interested in our new gymnasium which is nearing completion. It is expected that the principal portion of the building will be ready for occupancy by the first of March, 1918. Students and alumni can justly be proud of this latest addition to our campus buildings because in general design and appointments the gymnasium is second to none in the country, and far superior to similar buildings at many of the leading universities.

The main floor contains business offices, rooms for conducting physical

examinations, an athletic lecture room, two team dressing rooms—one each for home and visiting teams—with lockers, shower-bath, rubbing rooms, etc. Nothing of any consequence has been omitted from this floor that would tend to stimulate athletic activities.

The main auditorium occupies the second floor. Encircling the auditorium will be a sixteen-lap, over-hanging, carpeted running track. Smaller rooms on this floor will be equipped for wrestling, boxing, fencing, and other supplementary activities. This floor will also contain a club and reading room where books and magazines on athletics may be obtained and trophies displayed.

Perhaps the most appealing feature is the swimming pool. It is 30x90 feet in dimensions and occupies a distinct wing on the west end of the main building. This is said to be the largest college swimming pool in the country. It will be finished in marble and equipped with all the latest swimming paraphernalia, and be available to women on special occasions.

The basement will contain 1,000 steel lockers for student use. In addition to lockers there will be rooms for drying athletic togs, and storing supplies. It is also planned to have a sporting store in the basement where students may purchase athletic goods at cost. A prominent feature of the gymnasium is the showerbath equipment on all floors and in many of the separate rooms.

Many already know that Coach C. L. Brewer has returned to the M. A. C. after six years as Director of Athletics at Missouri, to head the Department of Athletics. In the future Coach Brewer will have a corps of able assistants qualified to instruct students in the several branches of athletic science. While the details have not as yet been arranged, a general plan for conducting athletic activities is established. The new gymnasium will be used to maintain or improve the general health of all M. A. C. people—alumni, students and instructors—as well as to provide recreation for those who care to avail themselves of the opportunity; also to teach the several branches of athletics and develop coaches from the student body; and last but not least, to train material for our college teams. All students now in school and all entering students will be given a physical

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STILL NOT MARRIED.

1. "Polly" Akers
2. Bill Baumgras
3. "Chappie"
4. "Duke" Edwards
5. "Bill" Edwards?
6. Hoopingarner
7. Hoppman?
8. M. C. Hutchings
9. Friend Hans Kierstead
10. J. R. Kimball
11. George Lindsley
12. Frank McClung
13. "Nelly" Nelson—sorry to hand you such a number, Nelly.
14. "Turk" Parker
15. "Bennie" Roberts

- Who knows about "Jud" Kline?
1. Mary Allen
 2. Bertha Cameron
 3. Florence Hall
 4. Belle Hubbard
 5. Alice Kelly
 6. Kate Koch
 7. Alice Latson
 8. Grace Martin?

We shall be pleased to hear from any of you at any time and to be of any possible service to you in this matter.—THE EDITORS.

CONCERNING '09 OF THE SECOND GENERATION.

	Chil'n	Boys	Girls
Grace Perry Nies.....	2	?	?
John Alfred Mitchell....	2	1	1
Lee Boyd	1	1	—
Leon Belknap	1	—	1
Ben Jerome	3	?	?
*Thoenen	3	—	3
Ingall	3	?	?
Curly Jacobs	1	1	—
"Bol" Linton	2	2	—
"Prexy" Fairbanks	1	1	—
Theo Goodwin Moore	2	—	2
"Gerry" Allen	3	2	1
Myrt Severance Barden ..	3	2	1
Cantrick	1	—	1
Kempster	2	1	1
Nelson Hubbard	1	—	1
George Hubbard	?	?	?
Hulett	2	—	2
Howe	5	4	1
Gorton	1	1	—
Spurway	1	1	—
Ed. Allet	2	2	—
Ethlyn Hudson White....	2	1	1
Alleen Raynor Atkinson ..	2	—	2
Bill and Shirley Frazer ..	2	1	1
Frank and Helen Wood ..	2	1	1
Olive Graham Bennet....	1	—	1
Art Sargeant	1	1	—
"Curly" Kurtz	2	1	1
Vaughn Tanner	2	2	—
Al Chambe	1	1	—
Roy R. Lyon	2	2	—
Claude Nash	3	?	?
Katie Clark Perry	2	2	—
Postiff	?	?	?
Chan Taylor	1	1	—
Bill Hartman	1	1	—
Marsh	1	1	—
Ray Turner	1	1	—
Stafford	1	—	1

Mason	3	?	?
Reynolds	3	?	?
Smith	1	1	—
C. G. Burroughs	2	1	1
"Bus" Burroughs	1	—	1
Edith Hudson Bearup....	1	?	?
Burr Pratt	2	2	—
Ruth Foster Conolly	1	1	—
Ben Anival	1	—	1
Bleech	1	1	—
Alem John Hutchins....	1	1	—
Frank Dains	2	2	—

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Friend Hans Kierstead writes us that he has been recommended for a commission as 2nd lieutenant in the Engineer Officers Reserve Corps and May 8 he started his training in

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Plattsburg. Success to you, Friend Hans.

J. Harry Nelson says that he was recently elected alderman and supervisor from the 6th ward in Bay City. Harry, does this account for your being single?

The only news that C. L. Nash offers is that he is still County Agricultural agent and has three children. To be sure, that's about three times as much as some of our editors have to offer.

Otto Pokorny writes: "I was married Feb. 16, 1916, to Miss Grace M. Finley and now am the proud father of a fine baby girl, Mary Katherine who I hope will be able to attend dear old M. A. C. I have been in the building business since leaving college, branching out for myself two years ago, in which time I have put up about twenty buildings.

Clyde B. Gorton says: "My wife says I can't go to war, we will do our fighting at home. Which would you rather do? Or haven't you got it to say?"

N. B. Hubbard says: "We have plenty of room at 2625 Broadway, Toledo, and any '09's going through, by or near are requested to stop off. No excuse for you now.

The only thing that Edward Hodges has to say now is that he is married. "Can anyone sympathize with me?"

"I am anxiously waiting for the 1919 reunion and will certainly be there if I am in this part of the globe." Leta Hyde Keller.

J. R. Kimball writes that he is single and in the jewelry business for himself.

A. M. Marsh writes: "Have been with the B. F. Gump Co. nearly 5 years, as an engineer and also a seller.

"I have shown my copy of the Bulletin to various people from other colleges or universities and have heard some very complimentary remarks relative to a class that can publish such an annual." R. A. Turner.

Chas. J. Oviatt: "Mrs. Oviatt has been seriously ill in the hospital but she is improving nicely and will soon be home again."

W. C. Trout sends a message: "Jackson's 530-acre natural park is preparing for a big season of construction work. Should the war-cloud not interfere we will approach our aim very nicely."

B. H. Anibal couldn't write so very much because there wasn't really enough pencil to do so.

F. W. Howe writes: "Am mailing our new College Bulletin. Please note the new building (described P. 4) which we will occupy in September, and the fact that this is the only (Four Year) college of agriculture in America not supported by state or federal appropriation. Our students pay tuition to study agriculture and we have more of them than most of state colleges started with." Why pay tuition

when you can attend M. A. C. free?

"Mrs. Taylor with Boy and myself are busy trying to keep bugs from eating the badly needed crops this year. Moral: 'Spray with Black Leaf 40.'" C. C. Taylor.

H. L. Kempster writes: "We will miss Brewer next year. Glad it is M. A. C. that gets him. P. S.—The kid gets the pencil."

Clarence Jacobs writes: "The King Motor Car Co. Engineering Dept. is truly an M. A. C. representative institution. T. P. Chase, '01 (I believe) is chief engineer. Myself asst. chief engineer. Claud Greenhoe, '09, is now chief draftsman, taking the place of Ben Jerome, '09, who is now with the Oakland Motor Car Co." (Since Carly wrote, Greenhoe has gone to Alma).

The only news that H. E. Silcox sent us is that he was married. Now what do you suppose is the trouble?

Briggs L. Clark says: "I am married and with no regrets." Hodges please note.

Bertha C. Cameron writes: "I am single." Bertha, we want you to be sure and come to the reunion, and get acquainted with everyone.

Z. E. Colby is employed by the Bay City Foundry & Machine Co. as assistant manager. It was a big leap from his last position but we know that he will measure up to all the requirements.

Oscar W. Fairbanks says: "I resigned from the teaching staff of the Maine township high school at Des Plaines, Ill., and accepted a better position teaching in the mathematical dept. of the Lane Technical high school of Chicago. We have 2,600 boys at present."

Ruth Conolly Foster says: "We are living in Hyattsville near Washington and invite anyone coming out this way to come and call on us. Mr. Conolly has gone into gardening on an extensive scale, looking after all the gardens in the District of Columbia."

Jacob Graybill writes: "I live on the Alabama River in Alabama—a word which means rest." Keep your eyes open, you might see the class down there on their vacation.

Boyd says: "In these days of motor cars and good roads surely some of the old bunch must go through Albiion, and as we live on a street traveled by nearly everyone going in any direction, my wife and I would be glad to have you drop in.

Mary Maiben Allen says: "Glenn Gilbert played me a mean trick and left Knoxville, Tenn., just six hours before my arrival and I had written him, too." Not much like Glenn's usual mode of action, is it? What are you afraid of, Glenn?

J. Wells says: "Here is hoping these serious times will have passed by 1919 without having made any gaps in the jolly '09 regiment.—Wonder if Bess McCormick Taylor can dance as

smooth as ever? I've almost lost the tack."

Alfred Chambe is now president of the Detroit Wire & Iron Works and Sec'y and Treas. of Picard Carburetor Corp.

In last year's "Bulletin" Glenn Stephen and Turk Parker each promised to furnish an item of great interest in this year's issue. Glenn has married, but how did Turk know we'd get into the war and he'd be a captain?

"I would like Jim Robertson to know that I will buy him that box of cigars I owe him, provided he is at the reunion in 1919. I was married first." Leon Belknap.

R. Morley Reynolds says: The Record Weekly asks what we will do for M. A. C. Well we will just wait and see what our three can do. Every one look good now.

A few words from Myrta Severance Barden: "Just now we are putting forth all efforts toward preparing to feed the Allies, and this year we will raise more vegetables and grain, besides the fruit. We live eight miles north of South Haven and would be mighty glad to have a '09er call any time, day or night.

Charles H. Edwards says: "I met Wegioet here and we get together every couple of weeks at his home (you know that he is married) and discuss old times and the college and the Burglar's Club" with which but few '09ers are intimately acquainted as it was a "closed corporation" open to most any kind of lawful larceny that could be pulled off." Charlie, we will expect you to tell us more about this at the reunion.

Flossae Hall and Belle Hubbard are helping teach the women of Pennsylvania how to keep meatless and wheatless days, how to outfit the whole family with the purchase of not more than one commercial pattern, etc., etc.

"Mr. Brewer's returning to M. A. C. is the one greatest thing that ever happened unless it was his first coming." Vaughn Tanner.

Ed Allet's five-year-old son died in February from the effects of scarlet fever. The sincere sympathies of us all come to you and yours, Ed.

Kate Koch: "Expect to be on the staff here next year (1917-'18) again, teaching taxonomic Botany and Landscape Art."

Perry Schad is physical director of the Flint Vehicle Workers' Club.

Margaret Merrill, with '09, is now Mrs. Herbert Streit and lives in Los Angeles.

Loretta Boies Hagberg is in Porto Rico where her husband is head of the government schools.

Frank McClung answers all the questions except about his "Firm" and "Occupation." Do you still have to put on the soft pedal about your doings, Mac?

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R. O. T. C. COMMISSION WINNERS.

Results of the second Reserve Officers Training Camps show that almost every M. A. C. man attending won a commission. One or two were disqualified for physical defects within the last three weeks of the course. Returns from some of the more distant camps are not yet available but a complete list of those winning commissions at Ft. Sheridan is given below. As far as possible the assignments to which these officers will report during December has been added including those who expect to be sent to France.

Baker, Hugh P., '01, Capt. Inf. 46 U. S. Inf. Camp Taylor, Ky.
Beden, W. S., '16, 2d Lieut. Inf.
Bentley, T. G., with '18, 2d Lieut. Inf. France.
Bottomley, M. E., '16, 2d Lieut. Inf. France.
Chynoweth, J. B., with '17, 2d Lieut. Inf.
Crozier, C. R., '17, 2d Lieut. Inf., France.
Cashin, R. E., '17, 2d Lieut. F. A.
Cooper, H. G., '16, 2d Lieut. F. A. Ft. Sam Houston, Texas.
Dimmick, G. L., Jr., '11, 1st Lieut. Inf.
Finch, Earl, with '18, 1st Lieut. Inf.
Fisher, G. K., '15, 1st Lieut. Inf. Camp Grant, Ill.
Gork, L. Henry, '16, 1st Lieut. Inf., France.
Goss, H. A., '16, 2nd Lieut. Inf.
Graves, R. E., '14, 2d Lieut. Inf.
Hehn, F. G., with '17, 2d Lieut. F. A.
Horton, N. B., '02, 1st Lieut. Inf.
Hulse, L. C., '14, 2d Lieut. F. A.
Henning, R. B., 1st Lieut. F. A.
Hazen, J. B., with '13, 1st Lieut. Inf. Camp Lee, Va.
Hood, N. F., with '15, 2d Lieut. Inf.
Jewett, A. W., Jr., with '19, 2d Lieut. Inf.
Jonas, J. F., '12, 2d Lieut. F. A.
Mather, D. W., '13, 2d Lieut. Inf. Ord.
McKenna, P. G., 1st Lieut. Ft. Sill, Okla.
Maze, J. M., '16, 2d Lieut. F. A. France.
McEwing, L. B., with '10, 2d Lieut. F. A.
McClure, B. M., '17, 2d Lieut. Inf.
Merwin, C. L., '08, 1st Lieut. F. A.
Mills, W. D., with '19, 2d Lieut. Inf.
Mitchell, R. K., with '19, 2d Lieut. Inf.
Petrie, J. A., '14, 1st Lieut. Inf.
Paulson, A. C., '15, 1st Lieut. Inf.

Rasbach, J. B., '17, 2d Lieut. F. A., Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.
Shumway, G. C., with '18, 1st Lieut. F. A.
Shanahan, R. E., with '12, 2d Lieut. Inf.
Silcox, C. N., with '18, 2d Lieut. Inf.
Smith, W. R., '13, 2d Lieut. F. A.
Snyder, C. L., '13, 2d Lieut. F. A., France.
Tanner, R. V., '09, 1st Lieut. Inf.
Thomas, W. P., '16, 2d Lieut. F. A., Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.
Van Leeuwen, E. R., with '18, 2d Lieut. Inf.
Wandel, E. P., '11, 2d Lieut. Inf.
Warner, F. T., '17, 2d Lieut. F. A.
Wernette, D. L., with '18, 2d Lieut. Inf.
Williams, W. B., with '18, 2d Lieut. F. A.

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MEN IN SERVICE.

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The college is sending the RECORD gratis to all former students of M. A. C. Any men wishing to be put upon the mailing list should send their complete address to the secretary of the M. A. C. Ass'n, East Lansing.

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WACO BOYS ALSO WIN

In a post season game gotten up for the benefit of the Camp McArthur athletic fund a football team made up of Michigan soldiers from Waco defeated M. A. C. on college field, Wednesday, Dec. 5, 20-0.

The Waco men were unable to gain through straight football and the first half ended 0-0.

In the second half with the aid of two fake passes and an Oregon shift they put across the three touchdowns of the afternoon.

The Waco team, made up of ex-college stars, contained two former M. A. C. gridders, Springer, quarter of the 1915 team, and Treat, a linesman.

The game was attended by about 2,000, many of whom were from Lansing, where the ticket selling campaign was pushed, chiefly by the Central Michigan M. A. C. Ass'n.

EAST LANSING OPENS FORUM SUNDAY NIGHT.

East Lansing is to have a "Forum." With the hearty co-operation of Hon. H. R. Pattengill, the pastor of the People's Church has been able to get most of the speakers for Sunday nights who appear at the Lansing Forum Sunday afternoons. The first speaker is George W. Coleman of Boston, the "Father" of the Forum movement. His success in building up a Forum in Boston, uniting Protestants, Catholics and Jews must be heard to be appreciated. There are thrills in it. Everyone interested in the growth of the city, and in the college, should be there, bright and early. It is a venture, and it now depends on the people as to whether it will be a successful one. Each Sunday night meeting will be opened with a 30-minute "Community Sing." A week from Sunday night, President Dickie of Albion college will speak. Other speakers will be announced from week to week. Captain Hobson of Santiago Harbor fame will be here the morning of Feb. 13. Sunday is the tenth anniversary of the founding of the People's Church and Mr. McCune will speak in the morning on "Some Influences of the Church on American History."

CAMPUS GUARDED BY CONSTABULARY.

The seriousness of the spy situation has been brought home to M. A. C. students by the establishment of a constabulary patrol about the campus. The power house, and the Engineering, Agricultural, and farm buildings are carefully guarded every night by members of this state force.

The patrol begins at 8:00 p. m. and ends at 6:00 a. m. The guard consists of five mounted men who go on watch for two hours. At the end of that time they are relieved by fresh guards from the constabulary. During the cold weather of the past week, the men reported that the two-hour watch was long enough.

Although the necessity of this patrol may be questioned, its establishment is in accordance with the serious attitude of the government toward the organized spy system now at work in this country.

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COLLEGE HALL.

The sentiment of the alumni for College Hall is all that saved the dear old building from the pick and bar and maul of the wrecker. The half-closed and partly condemned state in which the building had reposed during the past year or more had given time for a gradual strengthening of the opposition to its rebuilding. The idea of those opposing it was the erection of a large administration building upon its site. An excellent motive, yet we are glad that love and sentiment for college were strong enough to win out. Another display of true M. A. C. spirit. The finer things of earth seem mostly builded upon sentiment. German kultur knows not of it. One of the Detroit committee remarked that Independence Hall in Philadelphia would have been replaced by a sky scraper long ago were it not for the sentiment of the American people.

Now that action has been started toward restoration let us not lag in getting the work under way. In their action of January 19, 1916, the Board resolved that "the committee on buildings and college property is directed to co-operate with the committee of the M. A. C. Alumni Association in planning the rebuilding of College Hall." Such a committee to represent the Association is now being appointed by President Prudden. We know the committee will be carefully selected and will consist of those who have fought the hardest for restoration. They may be depended upon to see that the work is started at once and that no further loopholes such as those offered by procrastination are permitted. Under present day building conditions the committee have a task before them.

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TRAINING OFFICERS.

Men are leaving college at the rate of six or seven a week to enlist or answer draft calls. The requirement that all men on draft lists wishing to enlist must do so by December 15

is causing many to drop their college work now. Most of those going are from the two upper classes although the volunteer spirit is fast permeating the ranks of the sophomores and freshmen. So much so that some action will be necessary to hold these men in college. Secretary of War Baker has expressed the wish that men below the draft age should continue their college training because their services as trained men will be much more valuable and much more in demand in future than as enlisted men now. One visiting Camp Custer cannot but be impressed with the fact that we are scarcely started in the war. When the thousands of men now in training leave for "over there," the next army must be raised. It will be raised by draft—except the officers. Of these M. A. C. will be depended upon to furnish her quota as she has so ably done heretofore. They must come from graduates of our R. O. T. C. unit, the present classes of '19, '20, and '21.

We admire the true spirit of these underclassmen. Yet we sincerely hope that they may be prevailed upon to give up for the present the idea of deserting Uncle Frank for Uncle Sam.

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THE '09 BULLETIN.

It is with pleasure that we send out the '09 Bulletin as a supplement to this issue of the RECORD. Nineteen-nine has always been a decidedly energetic class—a class in which '09 spirit and M. A. C. spirit go "over the top" together. The Bulletin as far as we know is the only class alumni publication and has been making its annual appearance to '09ers only. But for the example to other classes as well as for the brisk news it contains which will be of interest to those of several classes on either side of 1909 it is considered worthy of our entire mailing list. With pleasure the RECORD includes it herewith.

NOVEMBER STATE BOARD MEETING.

The State Board of Agriculture met in the president's office November 21 with the following members: President Kedzie, Messrs. Waterbury, Beaumont, Graham and Woodman.

Mr. Simon Harkema was appointed county agent in Newaygo county to succeed H. B. Blanford, to begin October 22, a small part of his salary to be paid from the Smith-Lever fund.

The request of Director Baldwin that badges be provided for boys and girls who have completed their club work was approved, the limit of expense to be \$400.

H. G. Smith, county agent of Kent county, was authorized to attend the National Conference of U. S. Boys' Working Reserve at Chicago, Decem-

ber 7 and 8, as a college representative.

The traveling expenses of Dr. Mumford in attending the conference of county agent leaders at Chicago, November 19 were allowed.

The expenses of J. Wade Weston for attending the potato show at Madison, Wisconsin, were allowed.

Miss Coral Havens was appointed to succeed Miss Morris, beginning November 1.

Mr. Lindemann was authorized to attend a meeting of boys' potato club members at Madison, Wisconsin, with his expenses paid.

The title, "Athletic Department," was changed to "Department of Physical Training."

The secretary was authorized to pay to the city of East Lansing one-third of the cost of the improvement of Grand River and Michigan avenues, amounting to \$9,076.14, to be paid in five annual instalments without interest beginning January 1, 1918.

A request from the Consumers' Power Company for the purchase of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$, of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$, of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$, of Sec. 33, Town. 26, N. range 5 E, was denied.

The request of Christ Sardjoff for exemption from the payment of tuition was granted.

Four regulations in regard to private forest reservations under the provision of Act 86 of the Public Acts of 1917 were adopted together with the form of application for such reservations.

Miss Edythe Houston was appointed stenographer for the forestry department to succeed Miss Sara Layn, resigned.

Prof. Chapman was authorized to employ an instructor of physics for the period from January 1 to July 1.

Dr. Clark H. Hayes was released from his contract as the federal government insisted upon retaining his services.

A communication from Dr. Lyman referring to the eligibility of G. Dikmans' classification in graduate studies, was laid on the table.

The president was authorized to confer the degree of Master of Science upon Ivan Wright, Walter Kenneth Makemson and Lawrence Clifford Wheeting, in accordance with the recommendation of the committee on advanced degrees.

The president was authorized to confer the degree of Bachelor of Science upon Charles P. Bush of Louisville, Kentucky.

The president was authorized to confer the degree of Bachelor of Science upon Arthur Leland Turner, his diploma to be dated as of June 1, 1917.

Mr. Foster Rudolph was appointed half time graduate assistant in farm crops beginning November 1.

The resignation of Mr. Percy O'Meara who has been ordered to re-

port to the local draft board November 21, was accepted to take effect November 30.

The resignation of Frank F. Hebard, inspector of feeds and fertilizers, was accepted effective November 15, and Ezra Hebard was appointed to succeed him.

The president was authorized to confer the degree of Bachelor of Science upon Grover Cleveland White.

Compensation in accordance with the summer school schedule was authorized for Dr. Chamberlain.

The resignation of Gladys M. Sunday, stenographer in the departments of animal husbandry, poultry husbandry and farm mechanics, was accepted, and Miss Marion Hinman was appointed as her successor beginning November 5.

The resignation of J. L. Morse as assistant professor of drawing and design was accepted effective October 1.

The recommendation of the committee of deans that registration day for the winter term be Wednesday, January 2, and that classes begin on Thursday was approved.

The total expenses of Prof. Patton in attending the meeting of agricultural chemists and of food control officials at Washington and Richmond were allowed, also the expenses of the following attending the annual meeting of the American Association of Agricultural Colleges and Experiment Stations at Washington: President Kedzie, Deans Shaw, Bissell and White, Prof. French, Mr. Spragg, Dr. McCool and Director Baldwin.

The following persons were authorized to attend meetings as indicated with allowance for transportation expenses only: Dr. Ward Giltner, U. S. Live Stock Sanitary Association, Chicago, December 3-5, and American Society of Bacteriologists at Washington, the last week in December; Dr. W. O. Hedrick, American Economic Association, Philadelphia, December 27-29; Dr. E. T. Hallman, U. S. Live Stock Sanitary Ass'n, Chicago, Dec. 3-5; J. F. Morgan, Society of American Bacteriologists, Washington, December 27; Zae Northrup, American Association of Bacteriologists, Washington, last week in December; Prof. Pettit, American Association for the Advancement of Science, and the Entomological Association of America, Pittsburg, during the Christmas vacation; Don B. Whelan, American Association of Economic Entomologists, Pittsburg, December 28.

The matter of fees for special piano students was referred to the committee of deans with power to act.

No fee is required of students who take the course for telegraphers to be offered by the college.

Membership in the American University Union in Europe was authorized.

Sergt. Chas. Robinson was appointed

as assistant military instructor, beginning November 29.

The college architect, Mr. Bowd, was directed to proceed with plans for the restoration of College Hall, retaining the exterior appearance and the interior of the chapel, contract to be let and work to be done by the day.

The president and secretary were empowered to take such action as seems best with regard to the compensation of the band.

John W. Steward was appointed assistant professor of drawing and design, beginning when he reports.

The following resolution was adopted: Resolved, that the president is authorized to determine the amount of refund of fees to be made students entering army service while enrolled at the college.

The expense account of J. F. Cox in looking up the seed corn situation was allowed.

Dr. Coons was authorized to attend the scientific meetings at Pittsburg, during the Christmas holidays with allowance of transportation expenses only; also Dr. Lyman to attend a meeting of the U. S. Live Stock Sanitary Association in Chicago, December 3, under same conditions.

The recommendation of Dean Shaw that arrangements be made by which Dr. Hallman shall continue the investigation in contagious abortion was approved.

The expenses of Geo. A. Brown and W. E. J. Edwards, and in case either of these can not attend the expenses of A. M. Berridge, in accompanying students to the annual live stock exposition in Chicago, December 3, were authorized.

The president and secretary were authorized to confer with the State Constabulary and engage such assistance in patrolling the grounds as may be necessary to protect the grounds.

The expenses of board members were approved.

Adjournment.

OUR NEW GYMNASIUM (Continued from page 1 of Bulletin.)

examination and the proper kind of physical training to be followed will be recommended. The purpose of the club room is to promote understanding and good fellowship among students and others, and returning alumni will undoubtedly find a hearty welcome here.

C. H. SPURWAY.

SGT. ROBINSON NEW ASSISTANT IN MILITARY DEPT.

On December 3 Sergeant Charles H. Robinson, U. S. A., took up his duties as assistant to Major Wrightson. This appointment is particularly desirable because of the tremendously increased

pressure of work that has been put upon the department in connection with the reorganization of the college training system and the continued ill health of Serg't Paddy Cross who for the past few weeks has been unable to attend to the mass of detail paper work which he so ably handled.

Serg't Robinson has been in the army since 1894 and is a veteran of the Spanish-American war. He brings to M. A. C. a wealth of army experience. His previous terms of service include three years in the 6th Cavalry, three years in the 19th Infantry, nine years in the 5th Infantry, eight years of recruiting service, and two and one-half years in the 154th Co. of the Coast Artillery Corps. Serg't Robinson was in charge of the recruiting office in Lansing previous to his appointment as assistant to Major Wrightson.

ASS'N OF FARMERS' CLUB MEETING.

Michigan State Association of Farmers' clubs held its quarter-century anniversary in the senate chamber of the Capitol building Dec. 4 and 5. The banquet anniversary program was given Tuesday evening. Music by the M. A. C. Girls' Glee club was followed by the address of President C. B. Scully of Almont.

At the round table, a feature of the meeting, J. L. Snyder, president emeritus of M. A. C., spoke on "Twenty-five Years of Progress in Michigan Agriculture."

President F. S. Kedzie spoke on "What Twenty-five Years of Effort Has Brought to M. A. C." and Secretary Ralph Duff of the executive office spoke on "Preparedness."

Address—Dr. Ray Shipman Wilbur, Pres. of Leland Sanford.

Following is the Wednesday morning program:

Club conference on delegates, directed by C. F. Hainline, Alma, at 9 a. m.

Solo—Mrs. Alice Crafts Storrs, '15, Grass Lake, accompanied by Miss Ethel Codwen.

Reports of committees on Temperance, Honorary Members, Club Extension, Credentials, National Affairs, State Affairs and Legislative.

Solo—Mrs. Alice Crafts Storrs, '15.

Address—Dr. Price, Lansing.

Treasurer's report.

Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock this program was given:

Solo—Mrs. Alice Crafts Storrs, '15, Grass Lake, accompanist, Miss Ethel Codwen.

"Michigan Farmer's Part in This War," Michigan's fuel dictator, W. K. Prudden, '78, Lansing.

Reading—"America," Mrs. Calude A. Burkhart, Howell.

"The War for Peace," Dr. Caroline Bartlett Crane, state chairman Woman's committee Council of National Defense, Kalamazoo.

Solo—Mrs. Alice Crafts Storrs, '15, accompanist, Miss Ethel Cowden.

"Conservation of Food," Dean White M. A. C., East Lansing.

Wednesday evening, 7 o'clock:

Music—M. A. C. Men's Glee Club.

"Why We Are at War with Germany," Prof. C. H. Vantine, U. of M., Ann Arbor.

Reading—Mrs. Claude A. Burkhart, Howell.

Address—Gov. Albert E. Sleeper, Lansing.

Music—M. A. C. Men's Glee club.

Dealing with the farmers' war problems and his relation to the war the meetings were particularly interesting, and were well attended.

DRILL HOUR CHANGED.

Starting with the winter term the periods for drill and drill regulation classes will be incorporated in the regular morning and afternoon schedule of classes. This means that all classes including all drill will be over at 4:20 p. m. The changing of these classes undoubtedly will be much more satisfactory to students, and will give Major Wrightson an opportunity for personal instruction to each company and each class.

Picked up on the Campus

Mr. and Mrs. James Hasselman are the proud possessors of a son, James Watson, who arrived November 27.

Dr. Ray Shipman Wilbur, president of Leland Stanford, and friend and personal representative of Food Commissioner Hoover, gave a stirring address to a college audience Tuesday evening, Dec. 4, in Olds Hall. Dr. Wilbur was in Lansing speaking before the Association of Farmers' Clubs.

About 100 men attended the first annual meeting of the East Lansing Business Men's Club held in the People's Church, Dec. 4. Following refreshments of wienies and sauerkraut Judge Collingwood, '85, gave a splendid talk on community spirit. C. S. Wilcox was elected president; Dr. Giltner, vice president, and C. R. Adams secretary and treasurer for the coming year.

RAMSAY NEW FOOTBALL CAPTAIN.

At a meeting of the football squad November 27 "Irish" Ramsay was elected to be captain of the football team for next year. Ramsay was the unanimous selection of students, faculty and coaches, as well as men on the team. The following men will be awarded monograms for this year's work: Thompson, Hammes, Loeffler,

Ramsay, Coryell, Kellogg, Snider, Bassett, Archer, Bailey, Franson, McCool, Oas, Miller and Turner.

ALPHA ZETA INITIATES.

Five men were taken into the Alpha Zeta fraternity last week. Following the initiation a banquet was served them at the Wildwood. The men selected were H. H. McKinney, '18, H. Buttolph, '18, G. I. Blades, '18, A. L. Strang, '18, and E. E. Ungren, '19.

M. A. C. GETS SECOND PLACE IN CROSS COUNTRY.

At the Thanksgiving cross-country run held at Detroit by the Detroit Y. M. C. A., two of the ten medals given out were brought back by M. A. C. men. Brendel finished third, Longnecker fifth, Allen eleventh, Geiermann sixteenth and Sturm eighteenth. Geiermann held the field for part of the course, but was compelled to drop back because of knee trouble. The winning time was 13 minutes and 42 seconds.

MILITARY-FERONIAN DANCING PARTY.

A combination dance took place in the armory Saturday night when the military party given in honor of officers from Fort Sheridan and Camp Custer found themselves without music and called upon the Feronian society, who were holding their party in the East Lansing Masonic Temple, for musical assistance. The non-appearance of one Ike Fisher, who had contracted to be on hand with "Jazz" at 7 o'clock made a "stirring" time for the men of the Officers' association who had the military in charge. The services of temporary musicians were enlisted from the woman's building and elsewhere to carry on the program until the combination was effected with the Feronians. At about 8:30 the Feronians, bringing orchestra, guests, and everything but refreshments, joined the military in the armory and the party continued successfully. A number of out-of-town officers from the training camps and from Camp Custer were present. Among them were Capt. J. J. Harris, '12, Lieuts. G. K. Fisher, '15, H. G. Cooper, '16, C. L. Snyder, '13, M. E. Bottomley, '16, S. B. Lee, '17, E. J. Finch, with '18, C. N. Silcox, with '18, H. A. Clark, '16, L. R. Leavitt, '17, C. R. Crozier, '17, Wallace Beden, '16, D. L. Mead, '17, W. C. Heustis, with '18, C. F. Miller, with '18, R. K. Mitchell, with '19, Sergt. G. J. Henshaw, '17, and Corp. E. E. Peterson, '15.

The patrons of the evening were Pres. and Mrs. Kedzie, Major and Mrs. Wrightson, Major and Mrs. McKibbin, Capt. and Mrs. Hume and Mr. and Mrs. Whelan.

'17.

Delbet M. Prillerman, is an instructor in the West Virginia Collegiate Institute at Institute, W. Va.

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Alumni Notes

'91.

Dean F. B. Mumford of the College of Agriculture of the University of Missouri was appointed federal food administrator for the state of Missouri in October. The St. Louis Post-Dispatch of October 13 gives two columns including his photograph to Dr. Mumford's work as food administrator. Dr. Mumford will remain at the head of the College of Agriculture and will handle the state food administration from his office there.

'91.

D. B. Jewell is superintendent of schools and clerk of the board of education at Koochiching, Minn., with headquarters at International Falls. He writes: "While my duties as county superintendent of schools and as clerk of the board of education, together with conservation work, Red Cross, home guard, and loyalty associations keep me quite busy, I still find time to glance through the RECORD, and seldom fail to find something of my old classmates. From the time R. S. Clark chose as a topic in English, 'The Story of an Apple Core,' I have thought he would be a literary genius. You see, Sherm, as we called him was once upon a time my pupil in the Assyria two-roomed school at my old home. It isn't given to every public school teacher to turn out a mechanic, poet, and soldier all in one, so I like to bathe in the reflected glory of this pupil."

'97.

Roy H. and Mrs. (Mary Baker, '98) Waite announce the arrival in College Park, Md., of Alan Knowlton Waite, November 24.

Harry G. Hall (with) is assistant superintendent of the lines underground department of the Detroit Edison Company.

'10.

A. W. Walkup, with, is a tester for a cow testing association at Mt. Healthy, Ohio.

Capt. Chas. A. Lemmon, who is commanding Co. 21 of the 1st Training Bn., 153d Depot Brigade, Camp Dix, N. J., writes that Mrs. Lemmon and daughter Betty are now at 408 Lapeer St., Lansing, but that he hopes to have them with him before he "goes over." He also adds that Major Henry Allen, '95, is in charge of a machine gun battalion at Camp Dix.

'12.

C. Earl Webb is checker at the American Bridge Company's Gary plant, Gary, Indiana.

Edwin Smith of the office of markets and rural organization writes from Seattle, Wash.: It is rather difficult for me to give you an address for the RECORD as I am moving around so

much on transportation work that newspapers get lost following me up. However, I cannot miss out on all the good things we get in this estimable sheet, so I will have you send them to me at my parents' home at Lodi, N. Y., and they can bundle them off to me periodically."

B. P. Pattison is agricultural agent for Delta county with headquarters at Escanaba. He writes that Frimodig, '17, is rooming with him and is "making good in great style in his high school work."

'13.

Mary Turney has an excellent position as teacher of English in the Cass Technical High School, Detroit.

Clara M. Waldron is home demonstration agent for St. Clair county, having been recently appointed. Her address is 1418 6th St., Port Huron, Mich.

Merl A. Russell is teaching agriculture and science in the Highland Park schools this year and writes that there is a new member of the class of 1935, Martha Joyce Russell.

Robert Rosen is substitute interne in the medical department of the Johns Hopkins University and is doing research work along bacteriological lines. He expects to finish his course in June.

Elmer C. Geyer has just written to the effect that he was married on the 29th of September to Miss Marie Tyler of Saginaw. "After going through all the trials and confusions of getting settled we will be at home to our friends at 1705 S. Michigan Ave., Saginaw, W. S., and will be pleased to see any M. A. C. people who happen along this way. Now as for myself I had hoped to do my bit in Uncle Sam's service, but after spending eight days in the 130th Engineers at Camp Custer the examining surgeons decided that poor eyesight and a stiff wrist joint were too great a handicap for a would-be soldier and I was given my honorable discharge and told to make myself useful in civil life. Consequently I am back at my old position with the Herzog Art Furniture Co."

'14.

L. Spencer Esselstyn, with '14, is a draftsman in the ordnance office of the war department at Washington. Mrs. Esselstyn was Phenix B. Blinn, with '17. They are living at 1364 Harvard, in Washington.

D. M. Purmell is in charge of the horticultural department of the Baron de Hirsh Agricultural School at Woodbury, N. J. Besides his teaching work he supervises the handling of 65 acres of fruit, truck and vineyard lands.

Lieut. and Mrs. (Hazel Cook, '15) F. Royal Kenney announce the birth on November 15 of Francis Vincent Kenney at Ft. D. A. Russell, Cheyenne, Wyo. Lieut. Kenney is on the staff of the colonel of the 1st U. S. Cavalry.

Philip C. Baker has just received an appointment as lieutenant in the aviation section of the signal corps and has reported at Aviation Depot No. 2, Concentration Division, Barracks No. 1, Garden City, Long Island. Following his graduation from M. A. C. in 1914 Baker graduated from Boston Technical School in 1916 and from Harvard the following year.

A very interesting 12-page pamphlet entitled Putting California's Citrus on the Map, has just been received from its author, Don Francisco, who is advertising manager for the California Fruit Growers' Exchange. The pamphlet is reprinted from the California Citrograph of September this year. As a subtitle is given "How the Advertising Department of the Exchange Invests 2½¢ per Box on Oranges and 4¢ per Box on Lemons in Advertising." The bulletin presents in a very interesting way the advertising organization of the California Fruit Growers' Exchange, their advertising methods and the results that they obtain through nation-wide publicity work. Don writes that P. S. Armstrong, '15, is in the department with him and that he sees Harry Schuyler, '13, every Wednesday and Verne Pickford, '14, occasionally. He adds that Fritz Mueller, '14, and Mrs. Mueller (Mary Darrah, '15) drove down from Fresno in a new roadster early in the fall and that he heard upon their return trip to Grand Rapids they encountered three days rain between Los Angeles and Salt Lake City and drove 200 miles into Denver with a broken spring.

'15.

E. G. Amos writes that being a county agent in the Upper Peninsula is some busy job. Amos is located at Manistique.

J. J. Lynn, with '15, has just been appointed superintendent of the Standard Oil Company's plant at River Rouge, Michigan. Since leaving school Lynn has been with the Standard Oil Company, at Whiting, Indiana, having spent three years in the drafting room and one year as assistant superintendent of the pipe department. His new



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appointment is very recent. Lynn is living at 27 Calvert Ave., Detroit.

Paul S. Armstrong who is in the office of the editor of the Sunkist Courier of the California Fruit Growers' Exchange, writes of enjoying his first winter in California and adds: "In these days of much and varied giving it is sometimes difficult to figure all these things in the budget, but I feel that the M. A. C. Association is not in any sense to be considered a subject for donations; rather it is the moral obligation of every M. A. C. graduate to support it loyally as a small appreciation of actual benefits received. The war and the serious damage to the citrus crop by the heat wave in June have thinned the M. A. C. ranks in southern California to a considerable extent. Francisco, '14, I. T. and Verne Pickford, Williams, '15, and Hayes, '15, are among those out here, and there may be others on whom I am not posted."

'16.

Fern Hacker is a teacher of science in the Hamtramck junior high school.

Anna Rutherford is dietitian-stewardess of the Penoyer Sanitarium, Kenosha, Wis.

Nina Caray has charge of the manual training and domestic art of the schools of Ecorse, Mich.

H. H. Miller is supervisor of physical training and instructor in military science at Tonowanda, N. Y. His address is 108 Grove St.

E. B. More is teaching agriculture in the Marshall high school. During the summer he was employed temporarily as county agent and expects a permanent appointment in a similar position before long.

Bernard Moll has just accepted a position as resident engineer on sewer installation, filtration plant, etc., at Antioch, Lake county, Ill. He is in the employ of H. L. Emerson, consulting engineer who has offices in Chicago. His present address is Box 307, Antioch.

'17.

A. H. Bayer is a sergeant with the national army, Camp Devens, Mass. He writes that H. H. Blumenthal, '17, "is with the Hoboken Work House on their agricultural project.

Elsa T. Schueren is a fellow at the University of Michigan, doing graduate work in the department of bacteriology, hygiene and physiological chemistry. Her address is 1328 Wash-tenaw Ave., Ann Arbor, Mich.

Herbert Abel has been working under Dr. Hedrick at the New York Experiment Station at Geneva, and has recently joined the New York Central Railroad Agricultural Department as fruit inspector. He is now located in Williamston, N. Y. He writes that he was in Hilton for six weeks during the heaviest peach movement in western New York history. His new address is 57 Northampton St., Buffalo, N. Y.

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