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TRAINING IN THE OPERATION and care of motor trucks and tractors will be offered by the college in a special course which is to open on January 20 and continue for one month. work will be under the supervision of H. H. Musselman, '08, head of the farm mechanics department. All of the splendid equipment which was used in the instruction of the army vocational units during the months the training detachment was on the campus will be made use of in the truck and tractor school. The course is planned to meet the great demand for trained men to operate gasoline machinery, especially on the farm, and will give a broad training in the practical handling of all types of gas engines. Indications are that a very large number of men will enroll for the work, many inquiries having been received already. A second school, similar to the first in every way, will be opened in February. Those men who wish will be allowed to specialize in special phases of the work after the regular course is completed. There are no entrance requirements, beyond an interest in gas engines. These courses are an expansion of a course in tractor operation which was given by the college last year, and probably lead to extension work in the field.

THE IMMEDIATE RELEASE from war work of several M. A. C. men who are qualified to teach agriculture has been asked of the war department by Prof. W. H. French, state supervisor of vocational education. Army enlistments have cut down the staff of high school agricultural teachers to such an extent that the work is almost at a standstill, and the request aims at the reestablishment of the teaching forces without delay. Among the men whose release was requested are: C. M. Loesel, '16, R. F. Valleau, '16, N. O. Weil, '17, H. J. Field, '15, Otto Pino, '17, T. L. Ingersoll, '18, Lytton Calrow, '18, J. H. Thompson, '17, Geo. S. Butler, '17, and Edwin J. Smith, '15.

BASKETBALL WORK IS PROGRESSING rapidly under the impetus furnished by the prospect of early games. A large squad is reporting to the coaches daily, and the material for a strong team is in sight. The return of "Al" Garratt gives the varsity three veterans from last year's team, Kurtz and

Snider being the other two. Foster, Barr and Palm are promising members of last winter's freshmen team who are out with the squad. If first year men are allowed to play, several of the older men will have to fight for their places as there seems to be lots of talent among the freshmen. Johns, Gilkie, Heasely and Zimmerman are about the best of the new men. A strong schedule of games is being arranged for the team. Michigan, Notre Dame, Purdue, Northwestern, Wisconsin and Chicago may all meet the varsity this year if the negotiations being carried on are successful.

ASSISTANT ATHLETIC DIRECTOR GAU-THIER is already making plans for the 1919 football schedule, and is negotiating with a half dozen conference schools regarding games for next fall. Indications are that as imposing a line-up of teams as has ever tested the ability of an M. A. C. eleven will be scheduled. Contracts with Michigan, Notre Dame and Purdue are already signed. Negotiations are also under way with Northwestern, Wisconsin and Ohio State, and it is probable that at least two of these schools will be met. In addition to the above teams, two or three of the best M. I. A. A. colleges will be taken on for early season meetings. Albion is sure of a place on the schedule, while Alma, Olivet and Kalamazoo are possibili-

THE INFLIENZA EPIDEMIC on its return seems to be more serious among the girls at M. A. C. than the men. But few cases have been reported in the S. A. T. C. unit, while there are at present twenty-six cases among college girls. The girls' hospital at the Phi Delta house is full and there are reported to be 12 additional cases that are being cared for in the Woman's Building. It has been rumored that college may be closed for Christmas vacation earlier than December 20th, the date set for closing, on account of the epidemic. Thus far, however, it is rumor only. A number of the faculty and teaching force are ill with influenza, but at this time none or thought to be in a serious condition. The sick list includes: Professor Johnston, head of the English department; Prof. Vedder, R. B. Weaver of the English department, Instructors Stack and Burt of the

Zoology department, Miss Louise Clemens of the home economics division, and Miss Campbell, extensionist, Mr. Ruehle of the bacteriology department and F. T. Riddell, assistant in dairying.

DEMOBILIZATION of the S. A. T. C. unit is still hanging fire, pending receipt of certain discharge forms. Commandant Murchie has hopes of getting every man home for Christmas but there is no definite assurance that this will be possible. The officers who will handle the routine of the discharging estimate that they can take care of one hundred men a day, but if it becomes necessary in order to get every man out before Christmas they will work day and night to release the men for a Christmas at home. It is planned to muster out section B, the vocational unit before the collegiate section. The original order called for demobilization between December 2d and December 21st but the delay has been such that it will be a physical impossibility to complete the work by December 21st.

OF ALL ENTERTAINMENTS that have been devised to keep up the "morale" of the khaki-clad student body on the campus, none have been received with greater warmth than the inter-company boxing bouts. These have been staged weekly in the college gymnasium, under the direction of the department of athletics. The melees have been for the most part fullfledged flailing matches in which blood-and occasionally languagehas flowed generously. It has been noted in connection with the boxing bouts that the contestants have done something more than jolt each other. To a marked extent they have jarred college activities into new life. "A year ago," one of M. A. C.'s progressive professors remarked the other day, "the merest suggestion of a boxing bout would have brought forth a storm of protest and an elevation of eyebrows to a point where they never would have been able to return to the normal, but now some of the same men who would have howled loudest are demanding ringside seats and yelling 'Swat him again.' It is a question now, war or no war, whether the Queensbury pastime, otherwise the manly art of self defense, will ever be suffered to relapse into its former Ishmaelic condition.

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ARMY SUPPORT.

The board in control of athletics at a meeting held this week voted resolutions of thanks and appreciation to the military staff for their efforts in keeping athletics at M. A. C. up to the standard of former years.

At the beginning of the football season, with every man in college held under army discipline there was a quaver-a real feeling of uncertainty as to what M. A. C. would do or rather, what she could do in football and athletics. And when we began to think of financing the athletic association it was something more than a quaver of uncertainty-it was a genuine shudder that shook the athletic board. But neither the quaver or the shudder were long lasting. The army men came forward ready to put football and other sports on a basis equal to that of our brightest years. They literally "turned out" the men for football. By companies, an athletic fund was raised with every man donating an athletic fee that placed the association on a financial footing equal to that of years when the blanket tax was assessed. The close of the football season finds the association well to do financially with a sum in the treasury sufficient to assure an excellent start on the winter and spring sport seasons.

Through the interest and support of the military officers athletics have gone on, not only as usual but even better than usual, during what had the appearances of being a pretty lean year. With everything resting in their hands, their co-operation with college authorities was hearty and unfailing. We are deeply indebted to them for their part in upholding the name and fame of M. A. C. teams in war time.

LIEUT. WM. H. RUST, WITH '18.

Lieut, Wm. Henry Rust, w'18, died September 2d from wounds received August 29th in France. Lieut. Rust was with Co. K of the 125th Infantry and was acting as captain of that company at the time of his death.

Rust entered M. A. C. from Merrill, Michigan, in 1914 and attended two years in the agricultural course. He was made a second lieutenant in the fall of 1917, following training at an officers' camp and was assigned to the 162d Infantry at Camp Green, N. C. Later he was transferred to the 125th Infantry in France.

ROSE M. TAYLOR.

Miss Rose M. Taylor, instructor in Botany, died in the college hospital for women, Friday evening, December 6th, as a consequence of influenza after an illness of only a little over a week. She was in her place in the class room the day before Thanksgiving, but was taken ill on Thanksgiving Day.

Miss Taylor's home was near Marquette. After graduation from high school, she studied for two years at the University of Chicago, taking botany under Professor Coulter and Professor Barnes. She then came to the University of Michigan, completing her work there and continuing her specialization in botany. During this time began her interest in fungi which continued the remainder of her life.

In one of her summer vacation periods she made extensive collections of mushrooms in the upper peninsula, which she sent to Dr. Kauffman, of the University of Michigan, an acknowledged expert on the subject. This began a close scientific intimacy between the two, of great value to Miss Taylor.

She was appointed instructor in botany at M. A. C. beginning with the winter term of 1909, so that had she lived a month longer she would have completed 10 years of service here. During this time she spent part of several summers at the University of Michigan summer school, completing work for the degree of M. A. which she received four or five years ago.

About two years ago she was given a leave of absence by the college until November 1st, to make a collecting trip at her own expense, with Dr. and Mrs. Kauffman in Colorado and Washingten. The objects collected were fungi parasitic on various herbaceous plants and trees and the specimens she obtained she added to the M. A. C. Herbarium.

Early in her work at M. A. C. Miss Taylor began to show a special aptitude for the work in Plant Pathology and finally developed such ability in it that she was given full charge, not only of the laboratory work, but also of the lectures in the course in forest pathology. She also had charge of most of the laboratory work in the remainder of the pathology courses. She also maintained her interest in

the fleshy fungi, and was apparently never so happy as when some one brought in a batch of mushrooms of various kinds for identification. As a teacher, she was sympathetic but not easy; firm but not harsh. The student who worked hard always obtained her full sympathy and the fullest amount of help.

All those who have had work under her have a very warm spot in their hearts for Miss Taylor.

All of the old forestry students of the past ten years have had Miss Taylor as an instructor and she was always one of those whom they looked up when they came back to visit M. A. C. She was quiet and modest, never pushing herself forward to obtain the limelight. A splendid teacher, her work in the botany department has counted for much and has brought her the sincere admiration and friendship of all her former students and associates in the department.

She was a member of the Michigan Academy of Science, the American Phytopathological Society, and of the Eastern Star, of which she was for several years the secretary of the local chapter. Although not a church member here in Lansing, she was an attendant of the Plymouth Congregational Church, for whose pastor, Dr. Bishop, she had great admiration.

M. A. C. SMOKER AT FT. MONROE.

"It has fallen to me," writes First Lieut. W. Doyle Kimmel, '17, "to write to you concerning a little event which occurred here at Fort Monroe, Va., on Saturday, Nov. 16, the day of the Notre Dame game and the reunion of all former M. A. C. students at East Lansing. It was our fortune to be in the army and unable to attend such a reunion. The next best thing was to hold a little reunion and smoker all our own.

So this we did and I am sure you will be glad as well as very surprised to know that there were 18 men in attendance, all of whom being former students of the dear school. This letter, I know, will not be as interesting as the many you have read from men overseas, but we are not among those chosen few (2,000,000) but bear with us. It was not our choice that we remain on this side and fight the "Battle of Fort Monroe" for we wanted to get across and be in the thickest of it just as every true soldier did, but the War Department did not so decree.

It is remarkable, I think, that here at a point over a thousand miles from school, there should be assembled such a gathering as we had, and we defy any camp or fort in the United States to "go us one better".

During the evening we relived all our college days, which for the most of us are still very fresh in our minds and which we shall always hold most

dear. We had a very informal speech from each one present, in which was related his own wide experiences since he entered the army or navy, his travels about the country, when he last saw "so and so", or when "so and so" sailed for France. Each one also expressed his deepest regrets that it had been his lot to stay on this side during the world struggle, and lastly, and in a body we expresed a very keen desire to be present at the big reunion which we know will be held soon after the army is demobilized. We closed a most pleasant evening very appropriately by singing that dear old song "Alma Mater",

We were planning on holding one of these smokers about every two weeks but the Kaiser has ended his old war and spoiled all our plans and some of the men, most of them in fact, are returning to civil life soon and breaking up our little crowd. They will probably soon be Campus visitors and the rest of us are looking forward to the time when we can do likewise.

We have all gone through the "Battle of Fort Monroe" without a scratch except perhaps a few "bumps of knowledge' and with the possible exception of myself are anxious to return to civil life and to college. Being already in the Regular Army, I expect to stay with it for a few years.

The following men were at the smoker and all send their very best wishes to the dear old school and to their fellow alumni. The list gives their year at school and their present duties here at the fort:

C. J. Seidel, '17, A. M. Comb, '17, G. O. Stewart, '17, Kenneth Suits, '15, H. C. Stark, '19, J. M. Kuder, '19, H. V. Jordan, '18, Le Moyne Snyder, '19, P. A. Howell, '19, R. Schenefield, '19, G. A. Harvey, S. A. T. C., P. E. McCauley, S. A. T. C., training camp; Ed. Pinckney, '17, "Red" Stevens, '19, aerial observers; Tom Van Devoort, '15, G. R. Hayes, '18, master gunner school; A. T. Burger, special, naval base.

It might be of interest to some to know that during my time spent at Fort Monroe, Harry Campbell, '17, Isaac Gardner, with '18, "Red" Mason, '15, Spencer Esselstyn, '16, have successfully completed the course and been commissioned. Also Roy Maitland, '18, visited us as he passed through the port of embarkation near here

In closing, I wish to say that Mrs. Kimmel (Orrena Caswell, '19) and I are welcoming all M. A. C. people at our home and will be glad to see anyone who happens to be down here in "Ole Virginny."

The big final boxing match for the championship of the campus was held Wednesday evening in the gymnasium. The program was a culmination of the term's weekly schedule of ring matches. Four Wrestling matches and nine boxing bouts were fought

in which only the best ring talent was called upon the platform. The winners of these matches were awarded championship belts. On December 16 a selection of boxers and wrestlers from the S. A. T. C. unit will put on an exhibition at the Elks Temple in Lansing for the benefit of the Red Cross. Six boxing matches and four wrestling matches are scheduled for the Elks benefit and promise to offer the best that the army and navy units afford.

MICHIGAN BUREAU OF MILITARY RELIEF IN NEW YORK.

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The Michigan Bureau of Military Relief in New York located at 36 West Fortieth street is an official agency of the State of Michigan, established and maintained by the Michigan War Preparedness Board. Its purpose is to render aid and comfort to all Michigan soldiers and sailors, particularly to sick and wounded men returning from overseas, and to furnish information to their relatives. It is the first enterprise of its kind undertaken officially by any state.

The Bureau will endeavor to transmit to relatives and friends such information as can be obtained regarding all sick and wounded Michigan men in hospitals in and about New York, whether they have been overseas or not. Wherever possible, wounded men will be visited by representatives of the Bureau, which will perform such services for their cheer and comfort as circumstances permit.

In addition to its work in connection with the sick and wounded, the Rureau aims to minister to the comfort and convenience of all Michigan men in service while they are stationed in and about New York. this end the Bureau has established attractive and commodious headquarters, on the ground floor, which serves as a club and rest room for Michigan soldiers and sailors. Through the effective co-operation of two Michigan societies, the Michigan Society of New York and the Michigan Women in New York, the headquarters has been furnished and equipped in comfortable and homelike manner and one or more members of these societies are always in charge to extend hospitality to visitors. Newspapers from all parts of the state are received and kept on file, writing materials provided, light refreshments served, and telephones and other conveniences placed at the disposal of visitors.

Miss Norma M. Loewe, w'16, is one of the workers at the Bureau under appointment from the War Preparedness Board, and her letter which follows, indicates that already the bureau is becoming known to M. A. C. people:

"Occasional copies of the RECORD,

brought in by one of our M. A. G. patrons, prove very interesting. We have quite a few ardent "Aggies" here in New York and those who know of the Michigan headquarters here would be glad to have you print a short article in the Record concerning our project, so that others from the good old school may find it when in New York.

Among the boys who come in are Wilbur Wright, '16; James C. Johnson, '14; J. F. Sheldon, whose class I do not know. Larry Archer's brother is one of our enthusiastic patrons, and with him I mourned M. A. C.'s defeat at the hands of Michigan.

Reeva Hinyan, '16, is a student dietician at the City Hospital here; Katharine Vedder, '16, is a yeoman in service in New York; Mary Ann Hunter, with '20, is also a yeoman in service here; Francis Smith McGuire, with '15, lives at Peiham, just outside of New York; Karl Chapman, '09 (better known as "Chappie") is with the Packard company here.

Michigan is doing much for her boys in service and one of the most appreciated projects is this bureau. Most of the boys stationed in and around New York call this home—a place where they may expect to find friends and people who know about our splendid state. A little paragraph about the place will be a means of bringing more M. A. C. men here on their way from France.

Miss Ruth Hurd, '16, who is employed by the War Preparedness Board, has been very active in the establishment of the Michigan Bureau in New York. She organized the collection throughout the state of large amounts of canned fruits and jellies for the use of the bureau in providing for Michigan soldiers in New York hospitals.

The Bureau is being placed on the RECORD mailing list and M. A. C. men in New York will find a copy there henceforth. With an M. A. C. girl to greet them there, M. A. C. men in and about New York should find the Michigan Bureau a popular meeting place.

'15 GET TOGETHER IN CADILLAC.

During a recent meeting of county agents at Cadillac, it was found that there were several 1915 M. A. C. graduates on hand. Rather an impromptu meeting was called and arrangements were made for their getting together at the McKimmon Hotel for a feed.

Those attending were: H. D. Corbus, County Agent of Isabella county; J. Stutsman, County Agent of Saginaw county; Leon Bishop, County Agent of Lapeer county; F. A. L. Blohm from Bureau of Markets, Detroit, Mich.; Vern Freeman, sheep specialist of the Michigan Agricultural College and the writer who is County Agent of Oceana county.

Needless to say that the time was

well taken up in discussing M. A. C. affairs and especially the whereabouts of the other 1915 men.

B. F. BEACH, '15.

M. A. C. FOLKS AT SCHOOL GAR-DEN CONFERENCE.

The Michigan School Garden Association of the Michigan State Teachers' Association held a postponed meeting in Detroit, November 29 and 30. The Conference was attended by some seventy-five club leaders and garden supervisors, throughout Michigan among whom were many M. A. C. people. A banquet on Friday night was attended by two hundred garden folks. The officers elected for the coming year are: Mrs Mary Hamilton Grosvenor, Garden Supervisor of Detroit, Chairman: R. A. Turner, '09, State Club Leader, Secretary.

The M. A. C. people who got together at the conference were:

R. J. Baldwin, '04, Mrs. R. J. Baldwin, '13, Dr. Giltner, Mr. Berridge, '11, Miss Cowles, '15, Miss Van Heulen, '10; Miss Robb, '16, R. A. Turner, '09, O. I. Gregg, '07, Bessie Rogers, '14, Glen Stewart, '16, Mrs. Glen Stewart, '16, Margaret Erickson, '15, Emily Castle, '16, C. E. Smith, '10, Mr. Lightbody Mabel Rogers, '10, E. C. Lindeman, '11, Glen Kies.

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At Harvard I trained in the old gymnasium beginning fifty-five years ago. True, I haven't kept up the practice ever since, but I have managed to secure a change of labor in the botanic garden. For some years now, in winter and summer, I spend a short time each day in a certain series of exercise, whether I saw wood, run a lawn mower, or read much of the day. The system I follow is refreshing and restful following fatigue.

Doesn't that become irksome? Sometimes irksome to begin, but never when fully started, and I am often reminded of the help the practice affords me. My systematic exercise for twenty-five minutes is as valuable as long walks of two hours.

Whether he likes it or not, an old person needs exercise fully as much as a young person. For health and enjoyment, long periods of ease are not safe or satisfying. It is not important that you go in for a hilarious time and something new every day. The steady grind is what you want, though a little hilarity at times is not objectionable. The practice is enlivened where several persons train together, but believe me, each one can soon learn to exercise alone.

In my own case, I practice with dumb bells, clubs and pullies, and four short runs of twenty rods each, with short rests between. I select a variety of work of special value to the body, such as are recommended by J. P. Muller of Denmark, in a small book with an English translation.

WEDDINGS.

Alfred T. Halsted, '17, and Florence Adaline Gorton were married November 28th at Ypsilanti, Michigan.

G. R. Hayes, '18, and Miss Annabelle Wilson were married at Omer, Michigan, on August 3d, 1918. Hayes is taking a master gunner's course at Ft. Monroe, Va.

The marriage of Russel F. Valleau, '16, and Miss Verna S. Allen, '12, of Saugatuck, Michigan, took place at the bride's home the evening of December 9. Valleau is with a limited service unit stationed at the hospital for men returned from overseas, at Plattsburg, N. Y.

ORDERED THE WOLVERINE YET?

To the many people who have been unable to visit East Lansing during

the past summer and fall, the appearance of so many men in khaki around the college would be a strange sight. The 1919 Wolverine will have an entire section of the book devoted to the student soldiers of M. A. C., containing their pictures, company roster, and snapshots of them at work and play.

The men in these organizations will not be with us in their present capacities very much longer, but while they have been here, they have made up a large part of the life of the college. And even in the short time that these men have spent at M. A. C. many of them have been persuaded to return to the college as regular students after their discharge from the army.

The 1919 Wolverine board believes that the Wolverine this year should make an especial appeal to alumni of the institution, because of the special features that the book will contain, as outlined above, in addition to many other interesting sections. It is certain that the 1919 Wolverine will have a wide circulation, both among people and also over the surface of the earth, as the Wolverine board has received one subscription from Key West, Florida, this being credited to Lieut. D. D. Henry, 15, stationed there with the U. S. N. R. F. The business manager of the 1919 Wolverine, E. E. Carpp, announces that he is ready to receive many more such subscriptions from alumni, and if these subscriptions are received soon, the name of the person ordering the book will be embossed on the cover free of charge, provided an advance payment of one dollar accompanies the order.



WITH THE COLORS



Just received the August 30 copy of the Recond—the first I've seen in several months, and in spite of the very unwelcome news of the ruin of College Hall, was indeed pleased to again get in touch with M. A. C.

There is very little that I can add to my letter of a year ago and several letters from other M. A. C. men in this regiment, without getting into too many details, so will not try to make this a "news letter."

Just a few notes: The old 10th Engrs. is no longer, having been amalgamated with the 20th. This was quite a blow to the original 10th men, but "cest la querre." Old company A, 10th is now the 32d Co., 20th Engrs. For the month of September, 1918, the cut of the Forestry Engineers was something like 50 million feet of lumber—in addition to round products, such as piling, cribbing, entanglement stakes, etc. (That may be violating censorship violations.)

Coy W. Chittenden (with '09) was recently promoted to first lieutenant and will probably have command of this detachment.

L. H. Taylor (I do not know his class) is captain of the 42d Co., 20th Engrs., located not far from here.

Dorr Skeels is captain, now on acquisition work.

Roger W. Billings ('15) is still with this outfit.

I surely was mighty sorry to hear of Crone's death—there are many of them going now days.

I surely would like to hear from or about R. A. (Irish) Colgan, '13, he seems to have disappeared completely.

Try to keep the Recond coming—we surely do enjoy it.

You might pick me up in your list of changes from Sgt. to 2d Lieut. G. D. Cooκ, '12F.

Detach 32d Co., 20th Engrs., A. E. F.

I have been over here for some time with my regiment in connection with the supply work pertaining to it, but time for letter writing is often hard to find.



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I was very much pleased to receive a copy of the Record. It carried so much of the old time M. A. C. spirit, that while reading about the activities going on there, I found myself going over again the enjoyable days which I spent there. Although I know that there are hundreds of M. A. C. men over here taking part in this great game, I have not as yet been fortunate enough to see any of them. I often read of some of the brave deeds which many M. A. C. men have done,

and I am glad that the old fighting spirit of our college is, as of bygone days, receiving honorable mention.

My best regards and good luck to my many M. A. C. friends.

HAROLD D. HARDY, '17A. Regt Supl. Sgt., 329th Inf., A. P. O. 762.

Just a line to let you know the M. A. C. Record bats 1000% with me and that I am getting it regularly.

Also that I am now an ensign in

naval aviation being held over here in Key West instructing in flying.

C. C. Hood, '17. Ensign U. S. N. R. F. C., Key West Air Station, Florida.

I just received a copy of the M. A. C. Record, dated Nov. 22, in which there was notice of a game with Wisconsin. It brought back old memories of 1913 when I was a member of the squad that made the first trip to Madison. That was a great game with

"Carp" tearing through their line. My heart is with the boys again to-day and my spirit will be fighting with them even if I am at the other end of the country.

Several weeks ago I sent you several copies of our monthly magazine, the "Camouflage." We think the world of that paper, though it may not mean so much on the outside. (The Camouflage is one of the largest and best service publications the Record has yet received).

I am now executive officer at this camp, and that means much responsibility. I have gained a great deal of valuable experience since entering the naval service, and I feel now much better fitted for public life and true citizenship.

Memories of M. A. C. sure are pleasant, and owe her much I cannot hope to repay.

Best wishes for M. A. C. and yourself.

D. D. HENRY, '15, Lieut, U. S. N. R. F., Key West, Fla.

UNDERCLASSMEN IN SERVICE.

C. F. "Irish" Ramsey, '19, is a candidate in the army training school at Camp de la Valbonne, Valbonne, A. E. F. Ramsey, captain-elect of this fall's football team, wrote on Oct. 18: "Glad to hear that the football team has started with a victory. Am plugging for them every minute. Will await the result of the Michigan game hoping the boys give them a good drubbing. I feel they will."

Einar E. Ungren, '19, private in Field Hospital No. 6, Bn. 6, Sect. B, Camp Greenleaf, Ga. "Cold and disagreeable down here. Expect to be at M. A. C. next fall and take up Hologed where Light off."

cad where I left off."

Stewart M. Farr, '20, is a Sgt., Base Hospital Detachment, Camp Custer, Mich. He expects to be back next year.

Carl M. Horn, '21, should be addressed: S. 2c, Co. I, 7th Reg., Great

Lakes, Ill.

Walter T. Kelly, '19, writes on Nov. 23: "Change my title to Mr., my branch of service to Civilian, and my camp address to Sturgis, Mich. My services as flying cadet are no longer needed. I will return to M. A. C. for senior work in the winter term."

G. H. Rowley, '21, has recently been commissioned ensign at Princeton University naval officers' training school. He entered the Princeton course Sept. 1 from Great Lakes Training Station.

NOTES FROM CAMP MACARTHUR, TEXAS.

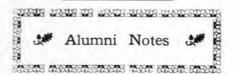
Anna Louise Scott, with '12, professor of science at Baylor College, Belton, Texas, has received her passports to sail for France, to enter Red Cross Hut Hospital work.

Lt. Harold King, with '19, is now with the Sub-Depot Quartermaster,

Camp MacArthur, assigned to Fuel & Forage.

Sgt. 1/cl. A. J. Weir, with '12, is transferred from Camp MacArthur and assigned to duty with the Division Quartermaster, 15th Division, now in training at Camp Logan, Tex.

Lt. Max Marshall, Q. M. C., is Camp Fire Marshall, Camp MacArthur.



Orrin P. Gulley has just returned from a deer hunting trip in northern Michigan and although he is over sixty he writes of "making ten and twelve miles a day over logs and stumps keeping up with the best of them."

Allen C. Redding is a mining engineer with a professional range from British Columbia to Mexico. His offices are at 330 Mills Bldg., San Francisco, California, "where I shall be pleased to meet any of the M. A. C. boys at any time." His home is at 1600 Waller St., San Francisco, Calif.

E. M. McElroy (with) is in the real estate business with offices at 117 Pratt Bldg., Kalamazoo, Michigan.

M. F. Loomis is a major in the Ordnance Department. He spends two days a week in Cleveland in charge of the procurement division and four days a week in Washington working out plans for the procurement men in other districts. He writes of seeing a good many M. A. C. men in Washington and Cleveland. He may be addressed, Production division, Ordnance Department, 2036 E. 22d St., Cleveland, Ohio.

D. N. Jewell resigned from the office of County Superintendent of Schools in Koochiching County, Minnesota last May to take a position as County Agricultural Agent of Itasca county, with headquarters at Grand Rapids, Minnesota.

Mrs. A. T. Leavitt (Clara Campbell) has moved from 631 Fairmount Place, Hillsbore, Illinois, to 481 S. Beach St., Syracuse, N. Y.

O. B. Burrell, Galena, Md., writes: "Am busy running a water front farm forty miles from Baltimore. Have just finished harvesting a large apple crop. We have forty acres of asparagus and regular farm crops on a 300-acre farm. "A new member of the family arrived September 16th. Betty Elliott Burrell."

W. Neilson, Brown Hall, O. S. U. Columbus, Ohio, writes, "M. A. C. students and alumni sure have a right to be proud of their football team this year. To keep fighting when luck breaks against you is no small mat-

ter and we did that in every game. I wish M. A. C. could schedule a game with Ohio State, as we usually have a good team here made up of true sportsmen.

O. A. Kratz is chief of the bureau of construction with the city of Portland, Ore. Mrs. Kratz (Lora Hyde, '08) is bringing up two sons, Malcom, four years old, and Courtney, nearly three.

Professor and Mrs. H. H. Musselman are rejoicing over the arrival of Jane Esther, a seven-pound daughter who arrived November 27th at their home in East Lansing.

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'09. Leta Hyde Keller has just returned to her home in Hastings, Mich., after spending the past year in California and Oregon.

Alton B. Hodges, with, is located at Pontiac, where he has built up a garage and auto sales business. His address is 277 Orchard avenue, Pontiac. "Will be glad to have M. A. C. folks call on me when they visit Pontiac," he writes.

The Bureau of Markets of the U. S. Department of Agriculture have made an announcement of the death of Burr Pratt the last paragraph of

which is as follows:

"In the death of Mr. Pratt the Bureau of Markets has sustained an irreparable loss. Through his devotion and untiring efforts the Food Products inspection Service in his division has been placed on a very high plane of fairness and efficiency. All of the inspectors working under his supervision were devoted to him and were always eager for his instructions and advice. No one in the Bureau of Markets was more highly esteemed by those who knew him."

A son, Thomas Peeke, arrived November 29th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Collingwood, Ithaca, New York.

Mrs. Louise Kelley Pratt is living at 712 N. 3d St., Billings, Montana. Since the death of her husband, Burr

B. Pratt, '09, she has been in Montana with her two sisters and expects to remain there this winter.

'12. C. Ross Garvey has been assigned as instructor of riding and driving at the field artillery training school, Camp Taylor. Address: 2d Lt. C. R. Garvey, F. A. C. O. T. S., Camp Taylor, Ky.

A second son, Edmund Harrison. Jr., arrived October 29th, in the home of Capt. and Mrs. Edmund H. Gibson, Alexandria, Va. Edmund Jr.'s father was promoted October 21st from 1st Lieut, to Captain in the sanitary corps at Camp A. A. Humphreys, Va.

Edward G. Chambers, Naval Flying Corps, Minneapolis, Minn., was discharged from service November 25th.

George E. Smith, now residing at 88 South Main St., Albion, N. Y., 188 South Main St., Albion, N. announces that a daughter, Aloha June, arrived at the Smith home on June 2.

A letter from Homer Ward relates that in September he "went over the top" with the 3rd Machine Gun Battalion and helped to clear the Boche out of the St. Mihiel salient. Lieutenant Ward has seen more than 16 months' service abroad.

J. A. McClintock has resigned from the Department of Agriculture and left the position of extension pathologist in Georgia to accept a position as plant pathologist and botanist with the Georgia State Experiment Sta-

tion at Experiment, Ga. W. S. Fields is now in the service of the Office of Cotton, Truck and Forage Crop Disease Investigations, Bureau of Plant Industry, Washington, D. C. In June he left University of Arkansas to take the position of extension pathologist for Mississippi for the federal department, with temporary headquarters at the A. & M.

College, Miss. Donald D. Stone is with the A. E. F. in Siberia. "So far as I know," he says, "I am pretty well separated from most other M. A. C. men in the service. Incidentally, I haven't yet learned to properly appreciate the newspapers over here, so I know very little about what is going on in the outside world. It is a rather odd experience to be separated from our own daily newspapers, though we hope to receive them before long, even if they do arrive a little bit late."

Vallace J. Dubey is a flying cadet, air service at Taylor Field, Montgomery, Ala.

Lt. Floyd A. Nagler, 1023 16th St., N. W., Washington, D. C., writes on Nov. 15: "Returned to Washington for duty traveling as inspector of Signal Corps Meteorological Stations in

Candidate Karl H. Miller, 51st Training Btry., F. A. C. O. T. S., Camp Taylor, Ky.

Howard J. Field has been trans-

ferred from Camp Custer to Edgewood Arsenal, Edgewood, Md., in the Chemical Warfare Service. He writes that



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tory work.

Ming S. Lowe, Ag, writes: "I resigned from the Hangehow Christian College recently to accept the registrarship of Tsing Hua College, Peking, China, which is my present address. Tsing Hua is the institution which prepares all government students for American colleges and universities. Convey my best wishes to all M. A. C. men in the war and out."

Don Fred Jones is a 1st Lt., Motor Transport Corps, Adv. Sec. Hdq., A. P. O. 714, A. E. F. He writes from France on Oct. 24: "I guess they have all changed since I wrote last, but I never change my regard for M. A. C."

Dr. and Mrs. (Gertrude Hudson, with '17) R. J. McCurdy are living at Scranton Ave. and Maple St., Lake Bluff, Ill. Dr. McCurdy is an assistant surgeon at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station with the rank of Junior Lieutenant.

H. A. Andrews is 2nd Lt. of Field Artillery, School of Fire, 47th Class, Sect. F, Fort Sill, Okla.

Max M. Somers is a 2d Lieutenant in C Company, Development Bn., No.

1 Engrs., Camp A. A. Humphreys, Va. Lieut. Fred M. Wilson, Ag, an observer at Selfridge Flying Field, Mt. Clemens, was a visitor on the cam-pus this week. He expects to secure his release from the service within the next few days.

Glenn O. Stewart, Ag, has returned from Fortress Monroe, Va., where he had been in training in the coast artillery officers' camp. Carl Seidel. who was with him at Fortress Monroe, expects to come back to Michigan before the end of the coming week.

Edna Tussing Vandenburg is in Home Economics Extension work for the Pennsylvania State College and is living at 312 W. College Ave., State College, Pa. Her husband, S. C. Van-denburg, '15, an applicant for a commission at Municipal Pier, Chicago, Illinois, "has just been informed that he may consider himself on the inactive list until further orders. He has enlisted in the Naval Reserve but will probably continue at his present address at 139 N. Clark St., care Bureau of Markets," Chicago, Ill.

2nd Lt. D. W. Kent, 37th Co., 10th Bn., 166th D. B., Camp Lewis, American Lake, Wash., writes on Nov. 17: "How did the Michigan game come out?" It was played the week after you wrote. Kent, and ended rather unfortunately.

Mrs. Atwater, wife of Charles E. Atwater, died October 23d of Spanish influenza. Atwater is County Agent of Gladwin county. Besides her hus-band Mrs. Atwater leaves two children. Mrs. Atwater will be remem-bered by those of the Married Students' Association for her active interest in that organization.

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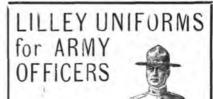
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