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THANKSGIVING VACATION.

At a meeting of the faculty, held last evening, the following report of the committee on Thanksgiving recess was adopted:

1. The Thanksgiving recess shall extend from Wednesday, after the student's last scheduled class, to Monday at 8 a. m.

2. Students, who are absent from any of their classes on the Wednesday preceding, or on the Monday following the Thanksgiving recess, shall pay a fine of one dollar for each class missed, the limit of fines not to exceed three dollars.

3. That class officers shall have power to grant an extension of absence sooner than Wednesday after the last class if, in their discretion, it seems necessary to do so, that a student may be enabled to reach home by Thursday noon.

DETROIT BANQUET.

The M. A. C. banquet, held at the St. Clair Hotel in Detroit Friday, Nov. 3, at 5:30, was a most enjoyable affair. One hundred seventeen persons were present, and every one seemed to have a good time. Between 50 and 60 of the above number were teachers who were in attendance at the State Association. Lawyers, business men, and a large number of engineering graduates in the vicinity of Detroit made up the remainder of the 117.

Judge Carpenter, '75, who was to have spoken on "Why the Agricultural College Doesn't Always Turn Out Farmers," was out of the city, greatly to the disappointment of all.

W. V. Sage proved the happiest of toastmasters, and introduced each speaker with an appropriate story or reminiscence.

J. W. Chapin, '10, spoke on "Secondary Agriculture," and gave one of the best toasts of the evening. He outlined the course as offered at present in the high schools, and gave some forecasts for the future of the work in Michigan.

Fannie Beal, '08, gave a bright, witty speech on "Domestic Science in Real Life." Miss Beal is teacher of domestic science in Adrian schools, and her thoughts on what life really means were clever throughout, and set the company to thinking.

"Engineering at M. A. C." was the subject of Dean Bissell's toast and he gave a short description of the practical side of the work which this institution is attempting to do—to fit the student to successfully solve problems of modern life.

Dean Shaw responded to the toast, "Brain vs. Brawn," or "What can we do with them." Prof. Shaw stated that in the problems of today it is brains that count, and the work of the college is to bring to bear upon the agricultural problems the best that we have. The speaker stated that he considered M. A. C. well up to the front among the institutions of its kind in the solution of the problems which have arisen.

Other colleges may have better individual departments than our own, but for all-round, well-balanced work M. A. C. is one of the leading institutions.

Henry Haigh, '74, a prominent lawyer of Detroit was called upon, and responded in a most happy manner. He told how much he enjoyed such occasions, as it showed to him how the old college had developed since he was a student. "There is a warm spot in my heart for M. A. C." said he, "and I expect to send two boys there when they are prepared to go." Mr. Haigh paid a fine tribute to Drs. Kedzie, Beal and others who had spent the larger part of their lives in the service of the institution.

Prof. Kedzie was called upon and in an informal toast, spoke of the profitableness of such occasions, both as regards himself personally and for the institution.

President Snyder was the last speaker, and gave an informal toast, and spoke of the graduates as "The Boys and Girls of M. A. C."

The banquet proved both pleasant and profitable for those who were fortunate enough to attend.

Y. W. C. A. CONVENTION.

The state convention of the Young Women's Christian Association met in Saginaw during the past week, beginning Thursday evening, Nov. 2, and lasting until Sunday evening, Nov. 5. Those who represented our association were Miss Gilchrist and the Misses Aurelia Potts, Grace Ellis, Maud Nason and Alida Dearborn. The convention was well attended, and a very pleasant and profitable time was spent by all. Many interesting talks were given by Miss Coppock, our missionary to China, who is supported by the Y. W. C. A. of the state of Michigan, and Miss Taylor, who told of the world-wide association work.

The states of Michigan, Illinois, Indiana and Wisconsin, were organized into what is now known as the central territory. Miss Pearson, one of the student secretaries of the new territory, will visit the colleges in Michigan. She was formerly student secretary of the colleges in Wisconsin. Miss Marsh, our former secretary, will be one of the new city secretaries for the new territory.

One of the pleasant features of the convention was the banquet given to the delegates on Friday evening.

'11.

Clarence Roe, of last year's class, is a student at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, continuing his studies in civil engineering. Mr. Roe expects to remain two years at the above institute. This year he is studying railroad economics, and the second year will be mainly sanitary engineering. He often sees "Jack" Leonard, now at Harvard, and recently received a visit from Bob Piatt, when Lansing was the main topic of conversation.

MISS FLORA WILSON, SOPRANO.

Daughter of Secretary Wilson to Give Concert.

On Friday evening, Nov. 17, Miss Flora Wilson, daughter of Secretary Wilson of the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, will give a concert in the armory. Miss Wilson has spent a great deal of time in study, both at home and abroad and has met with great success wherever she has appeared. She has given concerts in Washington, New York, Philadelphia and other cities in the east, and because of the fact that M. A. C. is in line of her travels on a western trip the management was able to secure her on above date.

Concerning her qualifications, we quote from the *Philadelphia Inquirer*, which paper gave an extended notice after her concert in that city: "Miss Wilson is the possessor of a voice of real charm and quality. Her personality is also one that captivates, and the impression she made upon her audience was deep and distinct. Miss Wilson was in excellent voice, and offered a program that covered a wide range. Her tones are faultlessly produced and with ease, grace and efficiency."

It is not the purpose of the Liberal Arts Union to give this year a definite outlined course, or series of entertainments. It is the aim, however, to bring to M. A. C. at opportune times lecturers and entertainers of more than ordinary ability, and it is sincerely hoped that students and others will avail themselves of the opportunities offered along this line. An attempt will be made to secure not only men who are prominent platform speakers, but those who have accomplished things in public life.

Miss Wilson is a singer of note, and all lovers of music will certainly appreciate her concert in the armory on Friday evening, Nov. 17.

WILLIAM TWAIN WALTERS.

The *Petoskey Evening News* of Oct. 30 conveys the sad news of the death of William Twain Walters, a member of the class of 1914. Mr. Walters had been ill at his home in Harbor Springs for several weeks, the result of an injured leg, which was operated on for diseased bone some three weeks ago. Complications made a second operation necessary, and in his weakened condition the patient was unable to withstand the shock.

Mr. Walters was a popular member of the class of 1910, Harbor Springs high school. His work in college was of a high order and he made many friends while here. During the past summer Mr. Walters was bookkeeper for the Harbor Point Golf Club. His influence was of the very best, and he will be sadly missed in his home community.

ALUMNI

'62.

In commenting on the appointment of Prof. A. J. Cook, of Pomona, Calif., to the important position of horticultural commissioner of California, the *Claremont Courier* states that the efforts of Prof. Cook to place his department in the college (biology) upon the most efficient working basis have been unexampled, and that his services in a public way are warmly acknowledged by grateful men and women throughout the length and breadth of his state. Continuing, the *Courier* adds:

Now this appointment to the State Commission of Horticulture—which is, as Governor Johnson well says, one of the most important offices in the State—is the crowning event of Prof. Cook's remarkable career, and it is an appointment which will be a lasting monument to the critical discernment and good judgment of Governor Johnson. No man in the State or in the country at large could bring to that office greater clean cut and indubitable fitness than Prof. Cook. No man would be able so surely to gather about him a staff of the best working material in the whole country, for no man knows our American workers better, and no man is more favorably known to them in the light of a chief under whom they "jump in and do things," without any of the petty and repressive supervision that spoils so much good material in our public offices.

Prof. Cook is large hearted, sympathetic, kindly, and broad enough and big enough to make a good executive. The office is not only a great one in the State, but the greatest of its sort in the whole United States. No office of its kind involves such great possibilities. It carries a large corps of well-paid assistants, and princely support.

For the first time in the history of the State, a man is now entering the office who knows thoroughly well the practical means by which these great possibilities may be developed to their greatest efficiency.

Congratulations are due Prof. Cook, Gov. Johnson, and the State of California.

'83.

H. M. Weed, of the above class, for some years a prosperous hardware merchant at Bellevue, is now farming near that place.

'93.

A. C. Burnham, after having studied in various institutions of learning in this and other countries, and held many responsible positions, is now located in Los Angeles, Calif., and is the owner of the plant of the Brodie-Burnham Publishing Co. He is also proprietor and president of the American Extension University, which institution offers a law course by mail. Mr. Burnham plans to be in Michigan within a few weeks, and will be very likely to call on college friends. His home address is 1550 Curran St.

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THE difference between "trade" and "profession" is a subject which has been somewhat widely discussed, and upon which there is a variety of opinion. According to President Hadley, of Yale, it matters little what the work in hand may be; that employment may be a trade or a profession at the option of the workman. The following is a quotation from an article by President Hadley on the subject, "The College in the Service of the Nation," bearing directly on

TRADE AND PROFESSION.

"This distinction is important, and is not generally understood. Most people think that a profession is a business like law or medicine or teaching, which requires a great deal of learning for its successful exercise. * * * On the other hand they apply the name 'trade' to a business for which a boy prepares himself in the office or the shop, and which does not demand book knowledge as a basis for its successful prosecution.

This is not the right way to look at the matter. The real difference lies not in the character of the business, or in the kind of learning that is needed for its pursuit, but in the spirit in which it is carried on. Any business, however scientific, which a man does primarily for the sake of the money that he can get out of it, is a trade. Any business, however simple in its character, where a man thinks first of the work that he is doing, and only secondarily of the pay that he is going to get for it, deserves the name of profession.

If a carpenter thinks more of the solidity of his work than of the profit that he is going to make from it, he has the right to call his carpentry a profession. If a minister thinks more of the pay that he is going to get for his sermons than of the souls that he is going to convert by them, he has no right to call his business anything but a trade."

'03.

F. M. Morrison, of the above class, is still in charge of the manual training work in the Pennsylvania Reform School for Boys, and seems to be enjoying his work immensely. The summer months, he states, have been spent in making berry crates, tables, stands, cabinets, etc. The piece of work which, of course, received the greatest praise was that of turning all the base ball clubs used by the ball teams this summer. He is to have a new building soon, as the present one is not large enough to properly care for the work.

'09.

F. F. Burroughs is now connected with the Commonwealth Power Co., of Jackson doing engineering work.

FOOTBALL.

M. A. C. 6—DE PAUW 0.

M. A. C. added another victory to her string Friday by defeating the fast De Pauw team by the above score on their own field. It was the big day at Greencastle, as the class scrap was held during the morning, and various other attractions were pulled off for the benefit of the visiting alumni, this being sort of home coming week.

During the first half no scores were made, and the teams seemed to be very much on a par. In the third, however, M. A. C.'s superior weight and endurance were in evidence, and the ball was advanced by Gifford on a fake play to the two-yard line. It was then pushed over for our first and only touchdown by Julian. Some question seems to have arisen as to the decision of Lieut. Hackett; De Pauw having pushed the ball back over the line after the signal whistle. It was declared a score, however, and Hill's kicking goal settled the score for the game.

The De Pauw players succeeded in placing the ball on our five-yd. line in this quarter, only to lose it on downs. On two different occasions place kicks were tried, but both went wide.

For M. A. C. the playing of Riblet and Hill were both noticed, the dodging of the former being almost phenomenal.

The officials were Lieut. Hackett, of West Point, referee; Engle, of Chicago, umpire; Endsley, of Purdue, field judge.

On next Saturday Mt. Union College, Alliance, Ohio, will send a strong aggregation for a game on the home field. Game will be called at 2:30, as usual. On Nov. 11 Ohio Northern comes to M. A. C., and the season closes with the game on Thanksgiving with Wabash. All these games are on the home field, and all good ones.

FRESHMEN 12—CULVER 0.

The all-freshmen team won handily from Culver Military Academy, at Culver, Ind., on Saturday. Although outweighed by several pounds, the freshmen made up this deficiency in speed and in a knowledge of the game. Some splendid plays were carried out, which proves that M. A. C. has some good material for future teams. Chaney kicked two field goals, and Deprato carried the ball over for the only touchdown. The first and third quarters were 15 minutes, and the second and fourth 10 minutes each. Coach Ashley and Freddie Busch accompanied the freshmen on the trip, leaving Friday night and returning Saturday night.

Those who participated in the game were, Dondel and Servis, half backs; Deprato, full back; Chaney, quarter; Vedder and Chaddock, tackles; Barron and Patch, guards; Schmidt and Goss, ends; Robb, center; Calkin, Hewitt and Clute substituted.

The collection of sections of tree trunks which was exhibited at the Chicago World's Fair, and since stored in the basement of the Botanical Building, has been transferred to the top floor of the Agricultural Building, where it will be kept until the Forestry Department has a more suitable place for it.

SOCIOLOGICAL CLUB BANQUET.

When a determined, serious-minded aggregation of our boys are confronted with able discussions by competent men on grave subjects, some thinking is bound to follow. Judging by the impression on those assembled at the banquet of the Sociological Club, held last Thursday night in the parlors of Club E, we have our assumptions verified. The evening spent was both joyful and instructive.

After a hearty indulgence in the refined feed, which was more than tempting to our boarding club association patrons, the real "flow of the soul" followed.

Toastmaster H. H. Barnum called upon Prof. Ryder, who spoke on "Practical Sociology." In brief he said:

"We are at present confronted with great problems calling for immediate solution. These problems cannot be solved off hand, but demand careful study and investigation. As yet not many are capable of tackling these life enigmas. They call for men trained along the lines of sociological inquest. We, as college men, have all the opportunities to study and become acquainted with such problems while we prepare ourselves to be useful citizens. Classroom studies do not fulfill the bill, but a society of men who know what they are after could accomplish a great deal. Hence the Sociological Club ought not to be hampered by any thoughts of lack of fields to work in, but go right ahead and prepare themselves to help solve the great problems of today by studying them while at college."

Mr. Hensel, the second speaker, in his usual pleasing manner, dwelt upon the importance of putting the inner self into the game. Among the many instructive ideas this speaker brought out during his toast, the following are few of the salient ones: "The philanthropist cannot accomplish much, because he is alien to the life of those he tries to help. It takes a man, a neighbor, who has himself gone through the mill, or who is capable of understanding the situation, to be the most successful in his deeds. The Sociological Club, should have for its purpose the study of conditions so thoroughly and enthusiastic as to be able to view them through themselves, as if their inner self was concerned, and thus bring into play the best there is in them.

It was Judge Collingwood who brought the banquetters face to face with "the real problem of today." It is one of those maladies with which mankind is badly afflicted, and which carries with it terrifying disaster to the well-being and future of our race. The speaker said that maybe some people think that is not very appropriate to discuss in mixed audiences, but anyhow we are to meet the question squarely and, forgetting about the moral rule of it, we shall treat it as one of the gravest economical and sociological problems of our day. Intemperance in habits, thinking twice before getting all there is in life as soon as possible at any price, and consideration of what the other party concerned may suffer in the consequences, are some of the things that are directly concerned with so many a life going to pieces while young. It should be the duty of

the Club to consider the problem of all forms of intemperance, which is found not only among the lower, but even among the better people, and try to make somebody else think as they ought. This is a worthy mission, and is bound to bring results which will be a monument to those who champion the cause of racial purity.

The banquet terminated with a talk by President H. W. Hough, on the purposes, views, and future activities of the club. The club intends to follow work similar to that outlined by the speakers, and shall also have some able men from the outside address them in the near future.

Those in attendance dispersed with the feeling that they learned something this evening and all eager to help continue the work anticipated by the club.

The Sociological Club is a closed organization, composed of juniors and seniors. Membership is by invitation and is limited to 25 men. Meetings are held every two weeks, some being purely literary and some also social.

HORT. CLUB.

Dr. R. P. Hibbard addressed the Hort. Club on Wednesday evening. His subject was "Horticulture in Mississippi." He said the rural south has not advanced with the rest of the country because of four conditions: It is so hard to get efficient help; the southern farmer is too lazy, but is waking up since the influx of northern settlers; the single crop system exhausts the soil, and the big plantations do not make the most profitable use of the soil. They have a long growing season there, so that often two crops are secured per year. Tomatoes are grown very extensively, and are the main truck crop. Early potatoes, peas and string beans are grown. Elberta peaches grow well and bear the second year. Cherries, plums and apples do not do well, but strawberries are grown in large quantities. The fig industry is a large and growing one. The average yield per tree is about 1,000 pounds, and the fruit sells four cents per pound, making it very profitable. They are canned and shipped north, where there is a ready sale for such products. Of course the main crop is cotton, but Dr. Hibbard believes Mississippi has a great future in the line of horticulture, and will soon be developed.

CLASS FOOTBALL.

In Saturday's class games the juniors won from the sophomores, 6 to 3, and the seniors won from the freshmen, 11 to 0. On next Saturday the juniors and seniors play off their tie. If the seniors win this contest, a three-cornered tie between the three upper classes will have to be played. If the juniors win, their team must settle with the sophomores for the championship.

These contests are very exciting and well attended, each class turning out in force to cheer its team.

Prof. Macklin acted as head linesman for the game between Michigan and Syracuse at Ann Arbor Saturday.

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ABOUT THE CAMPUS

Dean Gilchrist spoke before the New Century Club, in Detroit, last evening.

Instructor Spurway was in Medina on Friday of last week, where he spoke before a farmers' organization of that place.

Dean Gilchrist was in attendance at the state convention, held in Saginaw, the past week, and, as an officer of said organization, was in charge of the first meeting held on Friday.

Miss Alice Jeffery and Betty Palm entertained twelve guests on Tuesday of last week at the home of the former in honor of Miss Norma Vedder, whose marriage is soon to take place. The decorations were yellow and white chrisanthemums.

The contract for making the 1912 calendar has been given to the Robert Smith Prtg. Co., and work on same is progressing satisfactorily. The calendar will be of six pages, with two or three photos to the page, representing as best it can the buildings, grounds and activities of the institution.

The music for the production "Te Deum Laudamus," now being sung by the M. A. C. choir, was composed by Mr. Walter Miles. Copies of this song may be had at the Women's Building at any time for the nominal sum of ten cents each. Mr. Miles is also the author of the "Michigan Waltz" for pianoforte, now being played by the young women at the college.

Instructor Linton addresses the members of the Grange at Howell, Friday evening of this week.

Rev. Goldsmith exchanged pulpits, on Sunday morning, with Rev. Mitchell, of the Congregational church at Carson City.

The Eunomians gave an eleven o'clock party in the armory Friday evening. Prof. and Mrs. Wilson and Prof. and Mrs. King were patrons.

The Hort. Department were busy the past week getting an exhibit ready for the big Land and Apple Show in Grand Rapids, Nov. 7-11. A number of students will visit the show this week.

C. B. Gorton, '09, was a college visitor one day the past week. Mr. Gorton is with the Commonwealth Power Co., of Jackson; is getting along nicely, and thoroughly enjoys his work.

The department of drawing has just gotten in about 50 new plaster casts for the free hand drawing room. The shipments were from Caproni Bros., Boston, and C. Hennecke Co., of Milwaukee, Wis. These will be used mainly for the work in elementary drawing.

Those who so kindly furnished autos for the Sunday school children on the date of their picnic were Profs. Wilson and Sawyer, Mrs. Pettit, Luther Baker, E. P. Kinney, and Mr. Ripley. The eighty-nine children certainly enjoyed the ride, and gave a rousing vote of thanks to those who furnished machines.

On account of the State Teachers' Association held in Detroit the past week, the public school was closed Thursday and Friday.

The funeral services for the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Spragg was held from the house yesterday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock.

Samuel Langdon, '11, of Water-vliet, was a college visitor Saturday and Sunday, after having attended the big meeting in Detroit last week.

E. A. Armstrong, '11, has been installing a new alternating current plant for the Hildreth Manufacturing Co., in Lansing, during the past summer.

The Davey School of Tree Surgery of Kent, Ohio, have asked for a supply of experiment station special bulletin No. 24, to be used as a text in their educational work. This bulletin deals with insects injurious to fruits, and is much in demand as reference or text.

The Detroit-Ann Arbor branch of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, which was organized last year, has again resumed its meetings for the present year. The first meeting was held Oct. 27, at Ann Arbor. Prof. Sawyer and E. A. Armstrong, class of '11, attended this meeting. All electrical engineering students are entitled to membership in this society, and are urged to attend these meetings. M. A. C. has a goodly number of engineering alumni in and about Detroit and Jackson, hence is always pretty well represented at these meetings.

R. G. Carr, '09, is now in charge of the large dairy herd on the Church farm, near Sibley, Mich., producers of certified milk.

Miss Mae Parmelee is ill at her home, in Scottville, having had to give up her position, for the present, in the Midland public schools.

Mrs. Snyder entertained, Saturday evening from eight to ten, in honor of Misses Norma Vedder, Hazel Taft, Helen Michaelides, and Bertha Dreese, brides to be.

Instructor E. C. Baker, with 20 of his sophomore engineers, inspected the foundry plant of the Hildreth Mfg. Co., in Lansing, Saturday afternoon. Two other sections will be given a like inspection trip as early as arrangements can be made.

Prof. Pettit was in Detroit a day or two the past week, where he met a number of M. A. C. people. Among these was George W. Cushing, who is now connected with the *Detroit News*. Cushing is making good and enjoying his work very much.

Mr. Hoopingarner, of our Farm Crops Department, is much in demand these days as a judge of corn at contests held by grangers, Y. M. C. A.s, and boys' clubs throughout the state. This week he is at Benzonia, and in Ypsilanti on the 14th, where the county exhibit and corn contest are under the direction of Pomona Grange. Prof. Jeffery judges at Kennedy Station on the 8th and at Three Oaks later in the week.

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DEBATING CLUB.

A regular meeting of the Debating Club was held last Thursday night. The program for the evening was a debate on the question: "Resolved, That our prison system should be reformatory, rather than punitive." The affirmative side was upheld by Messrs. Schlessner and Hamilton, while Messrs. Cowing and Cochrane sustained the negative. The debate was well prepared and delivered by both sides, and was exceedingly interesting from start to finish. The decision of the judges was in favor of the negative. Everyone seems to be taking an unusual interest in debating this year, as has been evidenced by the large attendance at the meetings of the Club so far this term. If you are at all interested in debating, come out every Thursday night to these meetings, which are held in room 7, College Hall, beginning at 7 p. m. sharp.

The Union Literary Society gave a party in their building on Friday evening. Prof. and Mrs. Eustace and Mr. and Mrs. Patton were the patrons. The Phi Deltas held a party in the armory on Saturday evening, and the Forensics in the agricultural building on the same date. Dean and Mrs. Lyman and Mr. and Mrs. B. Jerome were patrons for the first named, and Lieut. and Mrs. Cron and Prof. and Mrs. Eustace acted in like capacity for the Forensics.

Vol 1, No. 1, of the *Announcer of the College of Agriculture* has been received. This publication will be issued on the first of each month by the New York State College of Agriculture, of which L. H. Bailey is director. The purpose of this announcer is to acquaint the people of the state with the kinds of work that are in progress by the State College of Agriculture. It will announce the investigation, the pieces of extension enterprises on farms and with the people, forthcoming bulletins, reading courses, and other events and programs of which the public should have knowledge.

Gorden H. True, in charge of our Dairy Dept., 1894-99, writes an interesting letter to Mr. Newman from Nevada, where he is now professor of agriculture and animal husbandry. He mentions having received one of the announcements of the new church opening, and adds, "One thing that strikes me, in looking over the announcement, is the fact that mighty few names are familiar. I do not remember any that I know right now except two or three—yourself, Pres. Snyder and Dewey Seeley. I'd like to look around there once more, but am afraid it would make me homesick. Some of the associations and experiences during the years I was at M. A. C. are grounded pretty deeply into my life. I cannot forget the men and women I knew there."

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There are doubtless many people in this vicinity who are interested in the fight against tuberculosis, and are not now giving anything to the support of this work, who would like to become regular members of the State Association for the Prevention and Relief of Tuberculosis. The annual membership fee is only one dollar, and it seems as if there must be a number of our readers who would be willing to help along the educational work which this Association is carrying on, and which means so much to the State. This Association raises its funds entirely from contributions from loyal Michigan citizens who wish for the conservation of human life. The amount in the treasury is low at present, and funds must be raised to carry on the work until the proceeds from the Christmas sale come in. Membership fees may be sent to Miss Carol F. Walton, secretary, Medical Building, Ann Arbor, Mich.

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