



The M.A.C. RECORD

SPECIAL STATE BOARD MEETING.

A special meeting of the State Board of Agriculture was held at the Hotel Downey, 4 p. m., April 28th, with President Kedzie, Messrs. Doherty, Waterbury, Woodman, and Graham present.

Concerning the gift of \$100,000 by Mr. Olds, the following resolutions were adopted:

On the morning of March 5, 1916, Michigan Agricultural College suffered the greatest physical loss in its history, by the burning of its entire engineering plant. The faculty, the students, the alumni and the people of the State generally, were in consternation at the magnitude of the disaster. The Engineering Hall was relatively a new building, well equipped to carry on the work of the Engineering Division and yet in the twinkling of an eye it had gone. In the minds of the many friends of the College there arose the ghost of former opposition to its engineering course. They foresaw the possibility of a renewal of that long and bitter contest, destined, if successful, to forever cripple the usefulness of the institution. Determined that a greater disaster should not follow the one already experienced, and, with a firm purpose to forestall any effort to revive a contest that sought to eliminate engineering from the curriculum

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A. J. CLARK PROFESSOR IN CHARGE OF CHEMISTRY.



One of the important acts of the State Board of Agriculture at its recent special meeting was the promotion of Associate Professor A. J. Clark to the position of professor in charge of the Dept. of Chemistry. Mr. Clark is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin in the class of 1905. After

teaching a year in high school he took up his work at M. A. C. as instructor. In 1909 he was made assistant professor and in 1914, associate professor.

Since graduating Prof. Clark has done four summers graduate work at the University of Wisconsin and University of Chicago.

He is known among the graduates of M. A. C. who have come in contact with him as a fine teacher of chemistry. He is perhaps equally well known as the director of M. A. C.'s famous Cadet band. His many friends wish him well in the new and more responsible position.

PUBLIC SPEAKING PROJECT.

The following is a copy of the letter sent to the executive committees of the various local associations:

May 6th, 1916.

Your attention is here called to a resolution adopted by the Executive Committee of the M. A. C. Association, at a meeting held in East Lansing, April 22.

Resolved, That we hereby heartily commend the action of the Northeast Michigan M. A. C. Association in starting a fund for the "Encouragement of Public Speaking and Debate" among the students at M. A. C., and, pledging our support, we suggest that this project be taken up at once by the various associations to the end that an adequate fund may be secured.

The plan as outlined by the Northeast Michigan Association is this:

"We desire to see a fund raised of from \$800 to \$1,000, which may be placed at interest, the proceeds each year to be used to buy gold fobs for members of the debating team and also to provide suitable medals for excellence in public speaking. The awarding of these funds shall be left in the hands of the English department upon a satisfactory presentation of a plan to the M. A. C. Association. The principal shall be in charge of the Secretary of the College. In furtherance of this idea the Northeast Michigan Association pledges one hundred dollars and asks that the other branch associations take up the matter at once among members. In this way the various organizations will show a real reason for their existence and provide a long felt want at the College."

Signed—A. C. MacKinnon, '95, Pres., A. MacVittie, '11, Chairman of Fund Committee.

KALAMAZOO COUNTY M. A. C. ASSOCIATION ORGANIZED AT BANQUET.

The M. A. C. people of Kalamazoo county met for a banquet at the Park-American hotel last Wednesday night and before the evening was over organized an M. A. C. Association with Jason Woodman, president; Fred L. Chappell, vice-president and Fred W. Temple, secretary-treasurer.

President F. S. Kedzie was the guest at the banquet and gave a stirring talk in which he said the success of M. A. C. is largely up to the alumni. In appealing to those present to use their influence he said: "If every one of you will send one live blooded ambitious boy to M. A. C. next year I will take a personal interest in him at your recommendation."

Jason Woodman, as toastmaster, also called upon Prof. E. J. MacEwan of Kalamazoo College, former professor of English at M. A. C.; Charles B. Hays, Fred L. Chappell, Harry G. Snow, Dr. E. B. Brooks, and J. E. Rork. The date set for the first yearly dinner was Wednesday, October, 11th, 1916.

The 34 people present were: Ezra Levin, Mr. and Mrs. Clark D. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. J. Robert Duncan, Mr.

and Mrs. Fred L. Chappell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Hays, Mr. and Mrs. J. Biscomb, Jason Woodman, Miss Cora Woodman, E. J. MacEwan, Frank K. Kedzie, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Munn, H. G. Snow, George H. Broesmale, Mrs. Lulu F. Coe, F. W. Temple, Miss Gertrude Moran, L. A. Cobb, Fred T. Henson, Wilfred Strong, Dr. E. B. Brooks, Clinton F. Milham, R. W. Wilson, Miss Leah Stevens, Miss De Vere Haugh, B. B. Naylor, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rork and B. E. Shoffer.

LUSTY ASSOCIATION ORGAN- IZED IN PHILADELPHIA.

Editor:—

Kindly put Philadelphia on your M. A. C. Alumni Association map. Better use red ink, because our association, although young, is what our Pennsylvania Dutch friends would call "durn wig'rus."

Our first meeting took the form of a get-together, stick-together dinner held at the Hotel Walton, Saturday evening, April 29. Scott Lilly, '07, who instigated the organization movement, acted as master of the informal ceremonies. There was no speech making, but just get-acquainted talks. F. A. Sessions, '71, told us of conditions at M. A. C. when the College was but 14 years old and the graduating class numbered but thirteen. He made student labor, club board and old Wells Hall rooms of our day look easy by tales of the really, really old days when all students worked for seven and one-half cents per hour, mainly at digging ditches, and slept four in a room in old Saint's Rest. Mr. Sessions was an expert ox teamster, and escaped ditch digging by driving oxen in clearing the land where you fellows are now taking campustury or drinking in the beauties of what we all know is the most beautiful campus of the country.

Mr. Session, by the way, was the "youngest" man at the gathering and promises to be the liveliest member of our association. Byron D. Halstead, '71, botanist at the New Jersey Experiment Station, could not be present owing to poor health, but gave us his "moral support" in a letter, a

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"ALUMNI DAYS" TUE.-WED. 13 th -14 th						

THE ALUMNI PROJECT FOR ENCOURAGING PUBLIC SPEAKING.

We believe that there are a goodly number of our readers who will readily subscribe to the idea, outlined elsewhere in this issue, of alumni encouragement of public speaking and debate. That this is a worthy project is attested to by the large number of letters on the subject which have appeared in the Record the past year. But by far the strongest endorsement is the decision of one local M. A. C. Association to contribute one hundred dollars to the project.

In taking up this new line of endeavor we believe that we have hit upon another valuable means of expressing alumni loyalty and interest. It was concluded at our recent executive committee meeting that since this project was started by a branch association it would be well to have it taken up by all the associations. The Northeast Michigan Association is one of the smallest associations we have. In view of this, together with their large subscription, we see absolutely no reason why the desired sum cannot be readily obtained.

Contributions may be sent in by

groups, or individuals may send direct to the M. A. C. Association, East Lansing, and the money will be acknowledged and credited to the proper branch organization. Alumni not connected with a local association should specify which one they wish their contribution credited to.

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It is interesting to note in connection with the alumni project for securing greater interest in English among the students of M. A. C., that a public spirited capitalist of the city of Sacramento, Cal., believes that English does not receive proper attention from students at the University Farm and will give \$90 annually in prizes to encourage work along this line.

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M. A. C. figures prominently in the the Detroit Saturday Night for May 6th. There is a full page picture of Dr. Kedzie, a panoram of the campus and a three thousand word article on the new president and the recent banquet by Z. C. Goodell, '11. We appreciate the interest, Editor Nimmo.

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Favorable comments were showered from every quarter on the 24 young ladies who took part in the May-pole dance at the M. A. C. Union party last Saturday and not a few people expressed the hope that this will eventually lead to a big annual May fete at M. A. C. We have a history and a campus that would seem to be the starting point of a very fine pageant.

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The Purdue Alumni Association has just sent a letter to all the alumni associations of the Western Conference asking their co-operation in putting down the system of spying and scouting used by all football coaches today. The letter declares, "We consider that one of the most humiliating conditions at American colleges today is, that every football coach deems it necessary to conduct a large part of the season's practice behind closed gates." It is proposed to extend the honor system, which has been so successful in financial settlements and the enforcement of eligibility rules, to coaching methods.

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Chief among the social events at M. A. C. last week was the M. A. C. Union party held in the Armory on Saturday afternoon. Lankey's orchestra furnished the music for the dancing which occupied most of the time, but a particularly pleasing feature of the program was a May-pole dance by twenty-four young ladies from the sophomore and junior classes. The girls were trained by Miss Casho in the regular gymnasium work and all deserve much credit for the splendid performance.

ALUMNUS RETURNS FROM CANAL POSITION.

Ernest Wood Baldwin, '11e, who has been five years associated with the engineering work of the Panama Canal and who has had direct charge of many important structural under-



E. W. BALDWIN

takings at the Miraflores Locks, recently resigned as superintendent of construction at the Pacific Terminals to engage in the contracting business in his home town, St. Louis, Mich.

Baldwin went to the Isthmus soon after graduation and entered the employ of the Canal Commission as rodman. According to the Panama Star and Herald he advanced rapidly to positions of great importance and responsibility. He was put in charge of placing the spillway gates at the Miraflores Locks and the precision with which he directed the carrying out of this work evoked special commendation from high canal officials. Just prior to his departure for Michigan his friends and co-workers tendered him a farewell dinner and in divers ways showed their appreciation of his work and friendship.

Captain J. J. Kingman, Engineer's Corp., U. S. Army, inspected the M. A. C. Cadets last Friday morning, keeping them on the run from nine until twelve o'clock. The boys testify that it was the most vigorous inspection they have ever experienced. Capt. Kingman complimented the regiment on the closed order work, and general appearance, but said that the field work could be much improved. This is not to be wondered at considering the earliness of the inspection and the limited facilities for this kind of training. The Band came in for the usual share of praises, the statement being made that there is only one better in the country. That is at Illinois where they really have three bands, totaling about 200 musicians, the best band, being, according to the Captain, almost the equal of Creatore's or Sousa's.

STATE BOARD MEETING.

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at M. A. C., the officers and board of control considered every possible resource for the speedy repairment of the loss. Either the resources of the College for the next fiscal year must be drawn upon, to the extent of crippling the work in every department, or aid must come from an outside source. The question was—Have WE a Friend? Have the results of engineering instruction here made an impression on anyone capable of coming to our assistance at this critical time?

The answer to this question came from an honored citizen of the city of Lansing, a great leader in industrial enterprise, an appreciative observer of the results of technical education, Ransom E. Olds, whose gift of \$100,000 for the rebuilding of Engineering Hall is not only most opportune, but one of the most significant facts connected with the history of the Agricultural College.

In view of this gift and the circumstances above described; be it therefore,

Resolved, That the State Board of Agriculture accepts the gift of Ransom E. Olds with the deepest sense of appreciation and gratitude. In a material way the generosity of Mr. Olds relieves a situation most embarrassing and difficult. It provides means for the speedy restoration of our lost buildings and equipment; it removes the shadow of a year of grinding necessity, toward which we have been looking and of which M. A. C. has experienced many in the past. But this first great gift does much more than this, it places the stamp of highest approval upon the engineering work that has been done at this institution and forever closes the door of controversy. And that is not all, for it establishes the fact that Michigan Agricultural College, as a state and national institution, is not beyond the pale of private bequest, and that an appreciative citizen may here find a means of perpetuating his name far more lasting and gratifying than can be done with monumental stone or brazen tablet. To have one's name forever fresh in the hearts of the best youth of the land, to have given aid to struggling and worthy ambition, to have made possible a broader and better life for some of our fellows or those who may come after us, is a consummation that may add luster to the life and memory of any man.

The name agreed upon for the new Engineering Building was, "The R. E. Olds Hall of Engineering."

On motion of Mr. Doherty, the recommendation of the President that Mr. A. J. Clark be given the title of professor in charge of the Department of Chemistry, was approved.

The recommendation of Dean

White that the College rent two houses of Mr. Charles Foster, which are to be connected by a dining room, was approved.

The Secretary was authorized to install a new boiler and a new fire pump at the power house and to build a vault in the basement of the library building for the storage of valuable papers.

A detailed report was submitted of the lands across which the Eastern Michigan Power Co. was given right of way. In return for the granting of this right of way the general manager of the Michigan Railway Company has agreed that the company will build during the coming summer a suitable depot and waiting room on the property of the College as requested by the Board of Agriculture.

LUSTY ASSOCIATION ORGANIZED AT PHILADELPHIA.

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paragraph of which we quote as of interest to all alumni: "It is a matter of deep regret that you can not have Dr. Kedzie with you, but it is hoped that he can meet with you at an early date and tell you of the advanced equipment that has risen from the ashes that now disfigure the dear old campus. I know the acting president better than most books, and his father before him, an ideal teacher-friend, and his grandfather, Grandison Fairchild, so that I can assure you, too, that any word of recommendation to the Board you may feel like voting will rest upon a strong genetic foundation rather than simply a brilliant, efficient personality now upon the firing line."

F. V. Warren, '98, told us of conditions in his day which he characterized as "the day previous to the big football and baseball games." R. P. Pailthorpe, '13, brought the historical review down to date by telling us of the new order of things. He sounded a note of warning against the breaking down of the fine old spirit of democracy so long existing in the student bodies of M. A. C. which is threatened by the introduction of fraternity dining rooms to take the place of the older-time clubs. While all present appreciated that it is without the province of alumni not acquainted with all present-day conditions to criticize modern tendencies, there was a general expression of regret at the possible passing of the old club institution which we recognize as a factor for wholesome democracy and college spirit.

Our organization was completed by the election of officers as follows: President, Arthur J. Anderson, '05; vice-president, F. V. Warren, '98; secretary-treasurer, Scott B. Lilly, '07. Plans are under way for a summer picnic and we advise all M. A. C. people contemplating an eastern trip this

season to await our picnic announcement and arrange their trips accordingly. We also expect to make early announcement of a luncheon place for weekly gatherings of all M. A. C. people in the city. Those present were: F. A. Sessions, '71; George W. Park, '86; F. V. Warren, '98; Mrs. F. V. Warren; C. A. McCue, '01; Robert D. Maltby, '04; A. J. Anderson, '05; Mrs. A. J. Anderson; John Lambert, '06; H. R. Beckwith, '07; Mrs. H. R. Beckwith, '07; Scott B. Lilly, '07; Mrs. S. B. Lilly, '09; Miss Fannie Beal, '08; William H. Hartman, '09; Mrs. Robert S. Foulds nee Georgina Lambert, '10; R. P. Pailthorpe, '13; D. M. Purmell, '14.

The news of appointment of Prof. Kedzie as president of the college arrived just in time to forestall the adoption of strong resolutions "demanding" his appointment. We still claim credit for this most welcome action of the Board through the influence of mental suggestion while our resolutions were being formulated.

Very truly,

ARTHUR J. ANDERSON.

ALUMNUS FAVORS PUBLIC SPEAKING AND OPEN FORUM.

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"Dear Sir:—I, too, favor the promotion of public speaking at the M. A. C. But I want it begin in the freshman year, to continue, under proper incentive, throughout the course and to find its greatest usefulness to future students and the rest of mankind in inspiring addresses delivered by alumni and others in a free and open forum maintained for the purpose by the M. A. C. Union. I want an appropriate hour set aside in the college daily or weekly program when the whole student body—and the public as far as is feasible—will religiously and enthusiastically attend the open forum and listen to the biggest thoughts of men and women of affairs, thus forming a connecting link between the college and the outside world.

"A movement like this might need to be begun on a small scale, but will demand, for its full development, a capacious auditorium with a democratically chosen, nonpartisan committee of capable alumni in charge, upon whom shall be laid the duty of encouraging and maintaining the proper quality and variety of public education dispensed from its platform. Not a continuous, all-star performance—that would require a large outlay of money—but a gathering of new and virile thought from all walks of life. Students and faculty, with a little financial backing and suggestion from the alumni, can work out the local details of general public speaking by the

students, with suitable honors for each year of the series. But this larger field of general education, where the student, the professor and the public meet and mingle in the democracy of the open forum, will need a little encouragement through the newspaper and the pulpit, the office, the factory and the farm.

In this competitive and machine-driven age, men have grown as busy as the factories they own and as selfish, often, as an overdeveloped individualism can make them, and we shall need to wean them back to the thought of altruistic living with and for their fellow beings. Men of business, men of research, women of successful homes owe more to society and the rising generation than merely the high pressure driving of their craft. Speed and efficiency in grasping the profits in our various lines of business are defeating the Creator himself in his efforts to develop a race of people that are socially and morally better than were their savage ancestors.

And so, fellow alumni, let us encourage, not only a few seniors, but all the students, to participate in public speaking. And let us meet that local movement by a larger, co-operative one, whereby we draw from the business and social experiences of thousands of thinking people their appropriate contribution to the hitherto neglected social education of the race. Let us urge that the men and women who are doing worth while things, drive their business a little slower, if need be, while they tell the eager student and the world how to live more graciously, more understandingly, more wisely than present or past generations have done; how to serve as conscious, organized factors in a social evolution more in harmony with the divine plan of human brotherhood.

"The open forum, it seems to me, will contribute greatly to the inspirational value of public speaking, as undertaken by the students.

"Very truly,

"F. D. LINKLETTER, '06."

SYRACUSE FALLS PREY TO AGGIE NINE.

M. A. C. fans were treated to the first real baseball of the season last Friday when Coach Morrissey's nine, due largely to the work of "Lefty" Brown, shut out Syracuse, 3 to 0.

For many years now the game with Syracuse has been looked forward to as being a hard battle and a pretty good indication as to whether M. A. C. boasted real baseball "stuff." Everyone knows now. For the victory Friday, Pitcher Brown takes most of the honors. He not only pitched gilt-edge ball but poled out a three-bagger in the fifth inning which scored Frimodig, and then made the final score which sewed up the game safely when

Huebel sent the sphere spinning for two bags.

Keib, pitching for Syracuse, was no mean opponent. In fact the records show that he struck out 12 men to Brown's 10, and only passed one where Brown passed two. However, he lost control in the first and fifth innings which spelled his downfall.

The fielding on M. A. C.'s part was much better than in previous games. Fick's and China Clark's work showing up particularly strong. In the seventh inning it looked as if Syracuse had started something when the first two men up got bingles, another sacrificed them around to second and third, but Brown pulled himself out in great shape by striking one out and putting two out at first.

M. A. C. got six hits in all, those responsible being Huebel, Fick, Fuller, Thomas, Frimodig and Brown. Syracuse secured five hits off Brown.

Score by innings:

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Syracuse 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

M. A. C. TRIMS KALAMAZOO COLLEGE, 5 to 1.

The Aggie nine took up new tactics in the game with Kalamazoo College last Wednesday by starting the scoring in the first inning. Huebel, the first man to bat, drove the ball safely for a single. Clark fanned and "Hub" was caught napping at second but this was not the end. Fick got a hit, Fuller drew a pass, and then Dean Williams brought them both in with a handy double. Runs were put over in the third, sixth and eighth innings, making a total of five.

DeMond was on the rubber for M. A. C. and held the opponents to two hits and no scores in the first five innings when he was taken out (safely first, for the Syracuse game) and LaFevre put in his place. "Al" handled himself well and was generally invincible except in the eighth when the visitors touched him up for three hits and ran in their only score. Conrad, pitching for the visitors, showed a good brand of baseball but occasional wildness and errors by his teammates brought the average down.

Miss Rae Smit, a special student at M. A. C. in '08-'10, died in the Philippines, March 18th. Her body is being brought to Detroit for burial. Her many friends will mourn her death greatly and she will be remembered as one of the most brilliant students ever at M. A. C.

The Hesperians held a very pretty spring party in the Armory last Saturday night. Patrons were Dean and Mrs. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Esseltyn and Mr. and Mrs. Hasselman. Furman's orchestra of Grand Rapids furnished the music.

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NEWS AND COMMENT

Have you secured that new sub-
scriber?

The Hort club gave a dancing party
last Friday night in the Armory.

The regular May meeting of the
State Board of Agriculture will be
held this week Friday.

The Michigan Intercollegiate Pro-
hibition Association will furnish 1,000
students equipt for service in aiding
to bring a victory for the state wide
movement at the fall election.

According to word from W. T. Lang-
ley, '82, May 7th was the date for
the regular annual pilgrimage of Min-
nesota M. A. C. people to Minnehaha
Falls. We hope to hear more of this
meeting.

A mastodon tooth was found last
week by Mr. Smoll of the Chemical
Experiment Station staff, in the gray-
el being drawn for the new gymna-
sium. The tooth is said to be in a
fine state of preservation.

Among the alumni to return to M.
A. C. last week were: C. L. Lawton,
'88, Hancock; S. F. Gates, '03, Ionia;
J. W. Chapin, '10, Coldwater; "Tex"
Campbell, '14, Grand Rapids; Janet
Renwick, '14, Mt. Pleasant; Don Fran-
cisco, '14, Los Angeles; Arda Strong,
'15, Hartford; "Doc Havens, '15; Rhu-
dolph Streat, '14, Toledo.

The Girl's Glee club gave a delight-
ful entertainment last Tuesday even-
ing in the Armory. The soloists, Miss
Della Bemis, violinist, Mrs. F. T.
Schneider, flutist, and Miss Dorothy
McColl, whistler, were especially well
received. Miss Louise Clemens and
Miss Louise Freyhofer were the ac-
companists. Credit for the uniformly
good work of the Glee club is due
largely to the director, Miss Frey-
hofer.

This week Saturday the members
of the Hort club will take a trip to
Plymouth where they will visit sev-
eral prominent vegetable growers, and
to the Maple Grove farm at Farming-
ton. At this latter place there are
100 acres of apple orchard which pre-
sent ample opportunity to view or-
chard operations on a large scale.
There is also a summer hotel on this
farm where the club will hold its an-
nual spring term banquet.

The Sesame society gave a unique
May party in the Agricultural build-
ing last Saturday night. Decorations
were May flowers and the society col-
ors. The patrons for the evening were
Prof. and Mrs. Ryder, Prof. and Mrs.
Sanford and Prof. and Mrs. Cory. All
the teachers and the senior girls were
the society's guests. Guests from out
of town were Helen Kennedy, '15, and
Frank Reed, and Miss Normington of
Ionia. Gephart's orchestra played the
program.

ALUMNI NOTES

'74.

Jay Sessions has been farming for
many years near Fowler but early
this year sold his farm and is now
living in St. Johns, Mich.

'92.

Tekonsha, Mich., May 1st.

"Your last issue was just about the
best ever. Of course the good things
that you had to publish; the election
of Pres. Kedzie, the splendid gift of
R. E. Olds, and the work of the Rifle
Team helped, but aside from that, the
make-up of the paper is very pleasing.
I conducted the 'College news' depart-
ment of the Speculum in '91 and '92
and can appreciate, to some extent,
how difficult it sometimes is to get
good copy. I enjoyed the letters from
Harry White and "Buck" Ewing very
much. The only M. A. C. man near
me is Bert Shedd, with '09, and we
meet often as we are both members
of the Tekonsha township board.
Shedd is supervisor and I am justice
of the peace. I should enjoy one of
Ewing's apples as we have not an
apple tree left, but we have some Hol-
stein cattle that are worth looking
at."

GEORGE W. DAVIS.

'94.

John W. Rittinger (a) is principal
of the high school at LaPorte, Ind.

'95.

"Complying with Brother Kain's
suggestion, the writer is pleased to
inform you that he will be on hand
during the class reunion."

FRANK JOHNSON, Detroit.

'03.

Burr Wheeler (m), who is with the
Chile Exploration Company at Chi-
quicamata, Chile, sends "kindest re-
gards to the Record, which is al-
ways a welcome member."

'05.

Miss Cora Feldkamp, now librarian
in the office of farm management at
Washington, D. C., formerly assistant
librarian at M. A. C., spent last week
end at the College with Mrs. Landon.

'06.

Henry J. Mastenbrook (m) has re-
cently moved from Fairfield, Iowa to
Cleveland, Ohio, to accept the position
of designing and consulting engineer
for the Ohio Blower Co. His resi-
dence is 1447 E. 116th St.

'07.

The alumni office has recently
learned that Ezra J. Kraus, (a) who
has been connected with the Oregon
Agricultural College for some time,
has been honored with a fellowship
by the University of Chicago and is
now pursuing advanced work at that
institution. Address 1369 E. 57th St.,
Chicago.

W. B. Liverance (a) who has been

for some time connected with the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture as dairy marketing expert is now manager and field expert of the Co-operative Association of Creameries, No. 1, with offices at 435 Powers Bldg., Grand Rapids. G. E. Watts, '13, of Alto, is secretary-treasurer of this organization.

'13.

W. A. McDonald (f) of the New York State College of Forestry at Syracuse, and Mrs. McDonald were College visitors last week end.

"Nate" Simpson (a) of Hartford, attended the state republican convention at Lansing last week and took a side trip out to the scenes of his "boyhood days" at M. A. C.

'14.

George Gilbert (a) is farming at Lake City, Mich. He has just put up two large dairy barns of tile construction.

Watervliet, Mich.
May 2nd.

"Dear Classmates:—

"Hurrah! Do you realize this June is to be a glorious one because our class has its reunion? Come one and all and make it worth while. Do not let the others outshine us but let us show that we are up and doing and not "all dead yet." I'll be there with daughter Jacquelin. Hope others have not forgotten how to use their pens and can scribble a line for the Record.

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