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GRAIN GROWERS AND LIVE STOCK MEETING.

The storms throughout the state so affected work on the farms tied up road and rail lines of travel that the attendance at the annual grain growers and stock meetings being held at the college this week is only about one-third of the number expected.

The number in attendance at the second day's meetings of the Crop Improvement Association were much better than the first and Breeders' Association which began its sessions the 16th shows a decided increase in attendance due no doubt to the gradual opening of travel. The short course reunion was also poorly attended and probably suffered most.

At the joint banquet of the Crop Improvement Association and short course men there were about 200 who greatly enjoyed the very successful camouflaging of the meatless and wheatless banquet. The dishes, prepared largely from pedigreed grains were designed by the home economics department and tastily served in the dining room of the woman's building by the girls.

Former Association Secretary Samuel Langdon, '11, acted as toastmaster and some splendid talks were given by grain growers and breeders from different parts of the state as well as by college leaders.

The Breeders and Feeders banquet was held Wednesday evening in Club D with a large attendance.

JUNIORS SAY NO WOLVERINE.

The junior class has placed itself on record as unfavorable to a 1918 Wolverine, so unfavorable that the project was definitely abandoned at a class meeting held last Thursday evening. At that time Editor-in-Chief Webb announced that the Wolverine board had come to the conclusion that the financial risks involved in attempting a 1918 Wolverine are so great that it is unwise to go on with the work which has already been started. Those in the class meeting agreed with him and killed the book, but not without considerable opposition from those juniors who are for a Wolverine above everything else.

The 1918 Wolverine has been in a number of hands since the original

Wolverine board was broken up by the spring and of late its affairs have been going from bad to worse. The first Wolverine board was broken up by the enlistment of two of its members. The men who were selected for the second Wolverine board have not had easy sailing and have found that it is difficult to contract either advertising or printer's prices on a Wolverine, all on account of the war situation. With a fewer number of students in school than were here last term, the editorial staff evidently reached a point where they were up against it and they decided to throw up the sponge and have it over with.

The action of the board and class was a surprise and has been the food for considerable comment and criticism on the campus.

—The Holcad.

FUEL ORDER TRIMS RECORD.

Because of the fuel administration order to close all industries for a period of five days beginning Friday, the day of issue of the Record, it has been necessary to rush this week's number through the press and trim and omit a number of news items we had planned to print.

COLLEGE CLOSSES EARLY. COMMENCEMENT MAY 27TH.

As recommended by the committee of deans the State Board at its last meeting fixed the date of closing the college year Friday, May 24th, commencement day to be May 27th. The winter term will close March 15th and registration day for the spring term will be March 26th.

The closing of college four weeks earlier than usual was decided upon in order to permit agricultural students to get back to the farms as early as possible to help with the summer's work. There has been a feeling prompted by the war and intensified during the past few months, to hasten the college work and complete the term's schedule as quickly as was consistent with the complete accomplishment of the courses. This has grown not only from the desire

to assist the farm help problem but to get the college work completed and out of the way in order that students in other courses may be available for war tasks.

TENTH ANNUAL HORT SHOW.

A very attractive pamphlet has just been issued announcing the Tenth Annual Hort Show, to be held at the college January 25 and 26. The show will be held in the pavilion of the Agricultural building, which will be decorated and arranged by landscape specialists of the Horticultural department. The various exhibits will be in charge of students who have that line of work, and who will be ready to answer any questions.

The M. A. C. band will give a concert at the show 7:30 Friday evening. The usual auction of pies made by college girls will be conducted by an expert auctioneer at 4:30 Saturday. The Hort department furnishes the pie timber and the girls do the rest. As in former years prizes of a \$5.00 gold piece, a box of oranges and a box of apples are offered for the best pies, just previous to the auction sale. The home economics department has added another feature to this year's show in a display of war-time foods and meat substitutes made by students in domestic science. A prize for the best dish displayed will be given.

The exhibits and attractions in horticulture are in pathology, physiology, entomology, plant breeding, pre-cooling, packing, and shipping, with displays of instruments, tools, and methods used in horticultural practices.

The first Hort show was put on in 1908 by upper classmen of the department and has grown each year, until it has reached the present proportions demanding the Agricultural pavilion for space for the entire show. This year's production is being handled by F. A. Davis, '18, as manager with assistants G. I. Blades, '18, and Vaughn, '18. The very attractive announcement is the work of R. M. Simmons, '18, publicity manager of the show, and contains a message from Prof. Eustace, absent from the department on leave assisting Hoover.

Keep yourself and your friends posted through the RECORD.

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LOCAL ALUMNI MEETINGS.

We desire to call the attention of officers of local M. A. C. associations to the fact that this is open season for local meetings and get together. A number of meetings are scheduled for January and February and from the letters and suggestions that are coming in it would seem that the M. A. C. meeting spirit is in the air. A certain "hungriness" for M. A. C. society seems to get into the blood after the holidays and about J. Hop time. For many it has become an annual yearning, a habit developed possibly from the usual winter term festivities of the college life we knew. But explain it as you may, the "hungriness" is there for social gatherings of M. A. C. folks and incidentally, too, for the good, but now often Hooverian, banquets that have always played the accompaniment for successful M. A. C. meetings everywhere.

Committees having the arrangements for local meetings in charge should not overlook an opportunity to extend hospitality of the good old M. A. C. kind to our fellows in service who may be stationed in their localities. We shall be glad to assist you in this through our army list, if you desire it.

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THE WOLVERINE.

The action of the junior class to abandon the publication of the Wolverine this year is causing a great deal of unfavorable comment from the other classes, particularly the seniors. Besides the item announcing the abandonment of the Wolverine which we have clipped from the Holcad there were some three columns of editorial comment in the student paper of this week, criticising the 1919 class action.

With the experience of an advertising task on a Wolverine some years back and information on printing and publishing prices of today we scarcely can help linking our sympathies with the juniors yet it seems too bad to

permit a break in the Wolverine tradition which has been an annual one since 1910. The Wolverine made itself quite a part of our institution, a publication looked forward to each year by the student body and many of the alumni. This year would seem to be a very fitting time to bring forth a war edition, simple in design and cover appointments and perhaps with fewer illustrations, or none at all. Such an edition would involve more time and labor from the editors but less financial outlay from the class. Seems as though a war edition would "take." We should like to see it attempted.

M. A. C. MEN ATTENDING THE THIRD OFFICERS SCHOOL.

The following is a list of the M. A. C. men attending the third officers' training camps at Camp Custer and other cantonments and while far from complete contains the names of all those applying here for admission to the Camp Custer school and examined by Major Wrightson. A few of the men entering training at other cantonments have been heard from, but doubtless there are many more. Assistance in making this list complete will be greatly appreciated. We should have the training unit address of each man, besides the camp address, and men attending the camps may help considerably by sending in information of their M. A. C. camp mates.

In the list below all men from whose address the camp name has been omitted are at Camp Custer.

Allen, Gleason, '13, 1st Bat. F. A., O. T. S., Camp Stanley, Tex.
 Amos, Edward G., '15, 1st Bat. O. T. S.
 Barnhart, W. J., with '12.
 Bartley, Hugh, '18, 1st Co. O. T. S.
 Chapman, Wm., '18, 1st Bty.
 Clark, W. J., '17, 1st Bty.
 Cockroft, Wright, '14, 1st Co.
 Down, E. E., '15, 1st Co. Inf.
 Freeman, Herbert, '19, 1st Bty.
 Horan, Harold J., '16, 1st Bty.
 Jonkman, N., with '18, 1st Bty.
 Kent, D. W., with '18, 1st Co. Inf.
 Knoff, Carl H., '11, 1st Bty.
 Liddicoat, R. J., with '19, 1st Bty.
 Mandenberg, E. C., '15, 1st Bty.
 Mead, A. B., '12, 1st Co.
 Menke, Ernest D., with '19, 1st Bat. F. A., O. T. S.
 Mogge, N. W., '14, Co. D, O. T. S., Camp Lewis, Wash.
 Pellett, G. W., '16, 1st Bty.
 Peterson, Clyde W., '20.
 Rather, H. C., '17, 3d F. A.
 Roberts, James, '17.
 Ryther, Cyril G., '12, 1st Co.
 Sheppard, D. T., '20, 1st Bty.
 Stanley, Leo R., '16, 1st Co. O. T. S.
 Storms, L. S., with '13, 1st Bty.
 Toland, D. P., '14, 1st Co. Inf.
 Trull, Frank W., '19, 1st Co.
 Tucker, L. H., '19.
 VanBuskirk, Wm., '17, 3d F. A. O. T. S.
 Vollmer, Glenn, '18, 1st Bty.

Wheeting, L. C., '16, 1st Co. Inf.
 Wildern, F. H., '18, 1st Co.
 Williams, Loren, '16, 1st Co.
 Wilson, F. A., '17, 1st Bty.
 Brown, W. B., '16, 1st Co. Inf.
 Brownell, S. J., '16, 1st Inf. Co.
 Pittignove, H. R., '19, 2nd Co.
 Sweeney, D. C., Sergt., '15, 1st Bty.
 Spinning, Geo. W., with '17.
 Cheetham, W. Jos., '19.
 Levin, L. F., '17, 1st Co.
 Taft, H. G., '12, 1st Co.
 Klein, Harold F., '15, 1st Co.
 Henshaw, Geo. J., '17, 3d Co., S. O. R.
 T. C., Camp Sam'l F. B. Morse, Leon Springs, Tex.
 Gibbs, R. T., with '17, Co. 5, Eng. R. O. T. C., Camp Lee, Va.
 De Young, W. E., '18, Eng. R. O. T. C., Camp Lee, Va.
 Stolte, Edw. C., with '13.
 Mains, G. H., '14, 1st Bty.
 Gifford, N. A., '17, 1st Bty.
 Decker, R. E., '15, 1st Bty.
 Walters, R. D., '17, 1st Bty.
 Jennings, L. S., with '16, 1st Bty.
 Waffle, Ross, '15, 1st Bty.
 England, 'Ted,' '17, 1st Bty.
 Verschoor, Leonard, '17, 4th Co., A 37, Camp Johnston, Jacksonville, Fla.
 Brown, Lyle D, 1st Bty.
 Johnson, Einar, '18.

JUNIOR HOP FEB. 21.

Although there was some talk at the beginning of the year to the effect that the juniors might abandon the customary Hop this year on account of the war and financial difficulties, it has definitely been decided that the party will be given as usual. The date set for the big junior function is February 21st and invitations were sent out before Christmas.

Music will be furnished by Shook's colored orchestra of Detroit. The place for the Hop has not been settled upon but an attempt is being made to secure the Reo Club House for the evening. The 100 couples being planned upon will include seniors and guests. Flowers for the occasion have been voted against by the class and the banquet and decorations are to be much less pretentious than those of former years, and more in keeping with Hooverism and war economy.

Frozen ears and frosted noses were in style and being worn quite generally about the campus last Saturday morning during the storm. With the first nipping, however, the frills and frumpieries of fashion were tossed aside and without regard for appearances handkerchiefs were tied about the ears and knotted under the chin. In the Agricultural Building some one developed a gas mask effect of plain white cloth which when tied over the nose and face gave one the appearance of a Fritz coming "over the top" or a highwayman. Nevertheless they saved exposed parts from being taken unawares by the "17 below touch" of the morning.

Undoubtedly every RECORD reader unless he be the one in North Borneo will understand the reason for the RECORD being late last week. Storms isolated East Lansing from the rest of the world for two days, as far as mails were concerned, so that the RECORDS usually leaving here early Saturday morning did not leave until Monday afternoon.



"Receiving" in the wireless room. The radio course is being given on the second floor of Shop 1.

PARTY SCHEDULE.

Prof. Hedrick, chairman of the social committee of the faculty is authority for the statement that this term the usual keen demand for party dates has taken a decided slump and that the interest in dances has fallen off considerably. This term's schedule follows:

- Jan. 25.—Dorian—Ag Building.
- Jan. 26.—Letonian—Ag Building.
- Feb. 1.—Eunonian—Ag Building.
- Feb. 2.—Delphic—Ag Building.
- Feb. 8.—Union Lit—Ag Building.
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- Feb. 15.—Trimoiira—Ag Building.
- Feb. 16.—Forensic—Ag Building.
- Feb. 23.—Phi Delta—Ag Building.
- Mar. 1.—Hesperian—Ag Building.
- Mar. 2.—Sesame—Ag Building.
- Mar. 8.—Feronian—Ag Building.
- Mar. 9.—Columbian—Ag Building.
- Mar. 16.—Ero-Alphan—Ag Bldg.

WEDDINGS.

GORTON-TIBBS.

Lieut. Walter Gorton, '16, and Miss Ruth Tibbs, '17, were married Dec. 22nd, at Davenport, Iowa, where Lieut. Gorton was on duty at the Rock Island Arsenal. Mrs. Gorton has been teaching in the high school at Plymouth, Mich., and will continue her work there during the rest of the present school year. Lieut. Gorton is an ordnance officer and is at present with the Marlin Rockwell Corporation, New Haven, Conn.

BERRIDGE-UNDERWOOD.

The marriage of Russell W. Ber-

ridge, '17, and Martha Lucile Underwood occurred at Detroit December 20th. Mrs. Berridge attended the summer school here in 1916. They will be at home after January 15 at 1131 W. Euclid Ave., Detroit, Mich.

GUNN-CLEMETSEN.

The wedding of Lieut. Harold Clemetsen, '17, and Miss Alice Gunn, '18, took place in Grand Rapids December 29. Clemetsen is a second lieutenant at Camp Custer and Mrs. Clemetsen is continuing her work in college.

ALDEN-GATES.

The wedding of Lieut. Ernest E. Alden, '15, and Miss Elizabeth Gates of Port Gamble, Wash., took place December 8. Lieut. Alden is with Co. K, 21st Inf., Regular Army, now stationed at San Diego, Calif.

PROMOTIONS.

O. A. Taylor, '15, "Fat," 1st Lieut. V. C. N. A., France.

Ernest E. Alden, '15, Lieut. 21st Inf. Camp Walter R. Taliaferro, San Diego, Calif.

Val. H. Ludwig, with '18, Sergt. Co. C, 320th Inf., Camp Lee, Va.

Gerald H. Mains, '14, Sergt. 16th Co., 4th Bn., 160th D. B., Camp Custer.

R. E. Uren, with '20, Corp. Hdqtrs. Co., 337th Inf., Bks. 682, Camp Custer.

DeLoss Towar, with '14, Corp. 73d Co., 19th Bn., 166th D. B., Camp Lewis, Wash.

NEW ASSIGNMENTS.

2d Lieut. Harry Campbell, '17, to C. A. C., Ft. Monroe, Va.

2d Lieut. Robt. Raven, with '18, Co. H, 161st Inf., A. E. F. France, via New York.

1st Lieut. Herbert R. Conover, with

JUDGE COLLINGWOOD '85 COMMENTS ON CENTRAL MICH. PROGRAM.

Editor of M. A. C. Record:

I cannot refrain from saying a few words concerning the War Supper given by the Central Michigan M. A. C. Association. The committee are to be congratulated upon the signal success in producing a real Hoover supper, a witty toastmistress and a delightful program, even though it was somewhat like "linked sweetness."

All of this was to be expected from the committee and the traditions of the Association. But there were two events on that program so unique as to differentiate this meeting from any like occasion which I ever attended.

The first event was the speech of Private Bibbins. As he stood there clean, manly, unstanding in his kahki, he seemed to typify the splendid youth of this land who see in the war a great adventure in which they are willing to risk all to make the world safe for Democracy. You had but to close your eyes to see millions of such youth, and you instinctively said, "The finest flower of the finest land on earth." Not alone what he typified, but what he said. He had striven for the best that M. A. C. offered; he had spent months as an enlisted man in an army camp; he was on his way "over there" and he stopped off to tell his old friends and teachers of army life and what a young soldier needs. He did not plead with M. A. C. to send her sons out better equipped in science or engineering or agriculture, but he did say what the boys who are sent into the army need is character. "If any of you men or women can help a boy to be a Christian before he goes into camp you will be doing a great service." Did you ever hear anything like that in an M. A. C. gathering before? If any man or woman past middle age heard it and went away just the same, noth-

ing but German kultur will affect him.

The second event occurred when Captain Hugh Baker spoke. He looked for all the world as though he had stepped out of an old daguerreotype of the period of the Civil War, in kahki instead of blue. He typified the successful, mature man who had been set in flame by the desire to serve somewhere in this great crisis. Graduated in the early nineties, he determined to be an educator. He wanted the inspiration of the great teachers and the best educational system in the world, and he, like most Americans of that period, turned to Germany, and he received the best she had to offer. When he came home he was made the head of a great Forestry school and impressed the Empire state with the strength of his personality. Then the call came while he was on his way abroad to get new inspiration. Three months of intensive training and the schoolmaster became the soldier. Now he looks forward to going abroad again. He hopes once more to go to Germany. But how different the conditions! Then he hoped to sit at the feet of her great teachers, now he hopes to get a crack at the head of the Kaiser and to aid in killing despotism.

Am I right in saying that no M. A. C. meeting ever pulled off two such events? Men of the type of Bibbins and Baker will manage our country tomorrow. They will receive a rare education during their years of service. In business, in politics, in education, these men of brains and character and vision will strike a new note in a new America.

CHARLES B. COLLINGWOOD,

Class of '85.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 14, 1918.

'15, Quarters 140, Ft. Totten, N. Y. M. March, with '20, 21st Eng. A. E. F., France, via New York.

1st Lieut. C. B. Norton, '08, Hdqtrs. Kelley Field No. 1, San Antonio, Tex. Lieut. W. B. Williams, with '18, 20th F. A., Camp Stanley, Leon Springs, Tex.

Lieut. H. G. Cooper, '16, 20th F. A. Camp Stanley, Leon Springs, Tex.

1st Lieut. John Allen Petrie, '14, Co. H, 59th Inf., Camp Green, N. C. 1st Lieut. M. M. Buck, '11, Co. H, 6th Inf., Chattanooga, Tenn.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Belvidere, S. D., Dec. 20, 1917.

Dear Sir:

Through a lady here whose parents live in Vineland, Kansas, I just learned of the death of Albert Fuller Allen of that place. Mr. Allen must have been the first man to receive a diploma from M. A. C. as his name heads the list of his class in 1861

and the last to survive the first two classes graduated.

I never met Mr. Allen but when living in Kansas I used often to meet people who knew him and they all spoke in highest terms of him. He lived on his farm near Vinland until a few years ago when he retired from active work and since had been living in the village.

I want to congratulate my classmate, Henry Haigh, together with Judge Carpenter and the others who through their persistent efforts finally saved "College Hall" and I trust that nothing now will prevent its entire completion as a memorial of the old days that can never be forgotten by those of us who were there in pioneer days of the institution of which we are all so proud today.

Let the younger alumni who wanted it replaced by a more modern building remember if it had not been for the "Old Hall" and what it stood for in those old days there would have been no modern "up to date" build-

FROM OUR FELLOWS IN SERVICE

22nd Ario Squadron,
No. 1 Camp Taliaferro,

Fort Worth, Tex., Dec. 26, 1917.

M. A. C. RECORD Editor:

Just received my last copy of the RECORD and I certainly was pleased to see it. I am acting on your suggestion of a little information. Of course we are flying down here every day, that it doesn't rain. Then we are also doing a little wireless work besides and occasionally a little aerial gunnery. Unlike most aviation fields, we are under Royal flying corps instruction which includes many wireless and machine gun tests. We are required to do artillery shots, do bombing and then take a course in aerial gunnery, which includes working on the range and shooting at targets from an aeroplane. This is lots of fun, of course, but fairly dangerous; as for flying, that is real pleasure at first but it gets monotonous, unless there is something to do. Our favorite stunt is the dive at a town and maybe drop a note to someone you know.

Now we are wondering whether we will get over there to fly. I expect to leave here in a few weeks but no definite date is given us. I will try and give an address over there, when I get there. Here's for M. A. C. and all our fellows.

CADET EDWIN R. CLARK, with '18.

Co. M, 353rd Infantry,

Camp Funston, Kan., Dec. 31, 1917.
Dear Sec.:

Enclosed the necessary two ducets to make me an M. A. C. Alumnus. That RECORD is the only thing that

makes a week's work complete for me.

Here's for a prosperous New Year for the RECORD and the M. A. C. Association. Through all the struggle, pain, sorrow, and sacrifices of this year I hope the RECORD will do its share for the men in the camps and trenches. Fraternally,

2D LIEUT. HAROLD A. FURLONG, '18.

American Univ. Camp,

Washington, D. C.,

Co. F, 6 Bn., 20th Eng.

Dear McKibbin:

I promised to write to you about our doings while in the service and have a few moments at this time so am sending a line.

I was in the Depot Brigade at Camp Custer and transferred to the Base Hospital and have been transferred to the 20th Engineers here at American University.

We were stationed at Fort Myer, Va., a few days and saw Lieut. F. A. Stone of '12, Eyer, also of '12, and Art Wolf, of '13. Did not see Lieut. Van Meter of '12, though he is there also. Most of Co. F men are from the west though nearly every state is represented and this battalion handles the lumbering end of it. Expect to leave in a few weeks, as soon as we are outfitted and mobilized and get so we can do squads right! March!

Will send that \$2.00 for the RECORD if we ever get a pay day.

Hoping the old campus is as lively as ever and the best of success to you and the college,

I remain as ever,
CORP. "BILL" JOHNSON, '12.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley E. Crowe, a boy, Edwin Brownfield on January 2. Mr. Crowe is an instructor in the mathematics department.

The University of Michigan has just adopted Eastern Standard time and is accustoming itself to schedules an hour earlier than formerly. The adoption has been made as a "military measure."

Alumni Notes

'89. James Satterlee, who is spending the winter in California, writes the following: "Will you kindly change my address from Los Angeles, Gen'l Delivery, to 203 W. 47th Place, Los Angeles, Calif. We had a fine trip reaching here last Saturday afternoon. Beautiful sunny weather with mercury at 84 in the shade, but very dry. The whole country from Kansas City to the coast needs rain very badly. We expect to see the Rose Tournament at Pasadena tomorrow. They expect perfect weather and a record-breaking crowd."

'95. L. Van Wormer, who has been doing work for a master's degree at the college, is now teaching agriculture in the high school at Allegan, Mich. He may be addressed at 516 Ely St.

'97. S. H. Fulton is a fruit grower at Sleepy Creek, W. Va.

Charles Herrmann is a merchant tailor at 524 Nicollet Ave., Minneapolis, Minn. He writes: "Often have M. A. C. men going through the city called at my place of business and am always glad to be of whatever service I may to any M. A. C. folks." His residence is 3630 Blaisdell Ave.

'00. Chas. Chadsey is operating a planing mill at Sutton's Bay, Mich.

Bertha E. Malone was a campus visitor Dec. 28. She is teaching in the Detroit schools and may be addressed at 131 Elmhurst Ave.

'03. H. Ray Kingsley (with) was commissioned Oct. 23 as Captain of Engineers O. R. C. and is now at Manila, P. I. Kingsley served three months

in 1916 with the American ambulance section of the French army as ambulance driver on the French front west of Rheims. Kingsley sends some interesting pictures including one of himself at the wheel of a Buick ambulance. He has asked for active duty in France. Mrs. Kingsley was Mabel Downey, with '05.

'04. Clark L. Brody is county agricultural agent in St. Clair county and a breeder of registered Holstein cattle. He may be addressed at 1119 Poplar St., Pt. Huron, Mich.

'05. A son was born, Dec. 24, to Dr. and Mrs. Henry M. Sage (Lillian Taft) at Columbus, Ohio.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clem C. Ford, December 21, a daughter, Phoebe Ann Baldwin Ford. Ford is sales engineer for the Jeffrey Mfg. Co., Chicago office, 1801 McCormick Bldg. Residence 2 S. Catherine Ave., LaGrange, Ill.

'06. George Gordon Farley, weight 12 pounds, arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Farley December 23, 1917. Farley is a farmer at Almont, Mich.

'07. H. T. Kramer is superintendent of construction of the department of public works for the village of Highland Park, Mich.

'09. Gerald H. Allen writes from 375 Fisher Ave., Detroit, "We sure do like to get news of M. A. C., especially from the boys "over there" or anywhere in the national service. Although not liable to the draft both on account of age and family our greatest interest is in this war. In fact, our business consists mostly in designing tools, jigs, and machines for use by manufacturers for the government. We are also trying to help out by being Hooverites."

Ray A. Turner is instructor in agriculture in the Hillsdale high school and county leader of boys and girls club work. Also "Daddy of one of the best boys ever." He adds the following of M. A. C. people in Hillsdale county: "Burroughs, '09, and Bailey, '13, farming near Hillsdale. A. G. Wilson, '89, abstract recorder; Bion Whelan, '71, physician; "Josh" Parrish, '95, coal and wood dealer; C. C. Cox, '14, county surveyor; Shumaker, '15, in his office; Bernice Woodworth, '17, domestic science teacher, Hillsdale."

'10. C. D. Mason, who has been farming at Kalamazoo, became county agent of Wexford county the first of the year. He may be addressed at Cadillac, Mich.

Geo. W. Hobbs, 1st Lieut. in ordnance section, O. R. C., is at present in the school of instruction at the Holt Mfg. Co., Peoria, Ill. Hobbs' work is in the motor equipment section.

'11. Leo B. Scott is pomologist in charge of sub-tropical fruit production investigations, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. He may be addressed 1374 Dogwood St., N. W.

A card from J. Frank Campbell informs us that he has just gone to Dallas, Texas, as athletic director at the aviation camp. He may be addressed care of Y. M. C. A., Aviation Camp, Dallas.

'12. Inez M. Gilbert very tardily reports her marriage to Arthur M. Hallan on September 12, 1916. They may be addressed at R. F. D., Dorr, Mich.

D. A. Spencer has just left his position as assistant professor of animal husbandry at the Oklahoma Agricultural College at Stillwater to accept the position of sheep extension specialist for the state of Missouri. He may now be addressed care Extension Division, University of Missouri, Columbia.

'13. R. E. Bissell is chief metallurgist for the Detroit Steel Products Co., Detroit. He may be addressed at 186½ Maplewood Ave.

Wm. C. Gribble is assistant mining captain at the Aurora mine at Ironwood, Mich. On leaving school Gribble was mining engineer with the Oliver Iron Mining Co. for three years. He may be addressed at 5 Lake St., Ironwood.

Keith Vining, who has been teaching agriculture in Fremont, has just accepted an appointment as county agent for Emmet county with headquarters at Petoskey.

'14. E. O. Anderson is county agent at Denton, Md.

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W. L. Mason, who has been at Steubenville, Ohio, has entered the Coast Artillery and may now be addressed at Jackson Barracks, C. A., New Orleans, La.

R. D. Hodgkins, who has been employed in Lowell, Mass., has just entered the aviation section and may now be addressed Line 118, Prov. Recruit Regt., Kelley Field, San Antonio, Tex.

Roy F. Irvin has just taken charge of the advertising division of the eastern department of the Goodrich Tire & Rubber Co., of Akron, Ohio. His title is "manager of advertising department, Philadelphia branch." The Irvins may be addressed at 1828 N. 15th St. Mrs. Irvin was Alice Wood, '14.

'15.

Harold M. Parker is marine engineer in the U. S. merchant marine on the S. S. Osage. He is listed as a third assistant engineer officer and may be addressed Osage, care U. S. Shipping Board, 413 Custom House, N. Y.

M. C. Hengst (with) is in the Michigan State Highway Department and may be addressed at 228 E. St. Joe St., Lansing. He writes that during a trip last summer he met Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Chadsey, both of the class of 1900, at Sutton's Bay.

George W. Green, who has been an instructor in the University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, called at the office January 11 en route from Chicago. He has just successfully passed the entrance examination for the aviation section and enlisted in that branch of the army. He has returned to the University of Saskatchewan awaiting summons to the ground school.

'16.

H. J. Webber is an engineer with the Owosso Sugar Co., at Lansing, and may be addressed at 811 N. Capitol Ave., Lansing.

Lucius D. Sears is in the Aerial Photo School of the Signal Corps at Langley Field, Hampton, Va. He may be addressed care Photographic Detachment.

Phil F. Helmer (with) 2d Lieut. 328th F. A., Camp Custer, writes that he expects to be put on detached service at the Aerial Observation School at Ft. Sill, Okla., in the near future.

'17.

R. W. Rice is a county agent at large with headquarters at East Lansing. He may be addressed, care of Farm Crops department.

Guy A. Newlon is still with the F. A. Barnett & Sons' Dairy Farm at Rochester, Mich., and not in military service as has been rumored.

Don A. Meeker has recently been appointed county agent of Shiawassee county with headquarters at Owosso. He was previously assistant county agent of Berrien county.

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