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THE J-HOP THIS YEAR will probably pass without comment or criticism from "Jim" Helme, former state dairy and food commissioner and oft-spoken of by the class of '15 as "our old friend." Mr. Helme is now appearing before the Federal court in Grand Rapids, testifying as to his connection with the campaign pay roll in the alleged fraudulent election of Senator Newberry.

Through an oversight the class numeral was omifted after the name of K. G. Potts, ' 06 , of Washington, Michigan, newly elected vice-president of the Michigan State Farm Bureau. In the new State Farm Bureau officers, M. A. C. is well represented. Rolland Morrill, M. H., '95, of Benton Harbor, is president; R. G. Potts, '06, vice president, and A. M. Berridge, '12, Greenville, member of the executive committee for one year; A. E. Illenden of Adrian, one of the executive committeemen elected for two years is the father of Jessie Illenden, ' 19.

Omicron Nu, the honorary home economics sorority at the college, on Wednesday evening gave a banquet for its eleven new members, one instructor, one senior, and nine juniors. After the initiation service at the Woman's building, the banquet was held at the residence. The new names which were added to the Alpha Chapter are: Miss Anna Bayha, household arts instructor; Gladys Barnett, '20, Birmingham; Mary Heitch, '21, Pontiac; Laura Hoover, '21. Flint; Thelma Porter, '21, Lansing; June Rapp, '21; Eva Schurr, Clarence, N. Y.; Marian Seeley, '21, East Lansing: Wilma Strauch, '21, Durand; Annie Thomson, '21, Almont; Sylvia Dixon, '21, Amadore. A splendid program on the "Day of Opportunity" was enjoyed after the banquet. Alumni members present were Zae Northrup Wyant, '06, Bess Frazer, '11, Lutie Robinson Gunson, '12, Lóuie Clemens, '13, Florence Stoll, '16, Blanche Snook Atchison, '17, Lou Butler, '17, Arnot Lewis, '18, Marion Grettenberger, '18, and May Foley, '18.

A Rifle Tournament, in which 11 teams are competing, is now shooting at the college. These teams are: Faculty Men, Faculty Women, College Men, College virls Scabbard \& Blade, Officers' Corps, Cavalry, Artillery, Freshman Infantry, American Legion, Federal, and All College. On February 10 the College Girls won from the Faculty Women on default. On February 11 the Faculty Men won from the College Girls; the Scabbard \& Blade defeated the Officers' Corps on February 16, and on February 17 the Cavalry were victorious over the

Artillery. The finals will be shot on February 26. Following this there will be a gold medal competition for individuals, by members of these clubs, whether on competing teams or not. The winning team will be awarded a silver medal. The winning team and the three highest individuals will be given a dinner at the Downey at the close of the tournament.

On March 3 the M. A. C. Engineers will hold a banquet at the Lansing Chamber of Commerce. Dean G. W. Bissell will act as toastmaster, and C. E. Bement of the Novo Engine Works of Lansing, F. F. Rogers, '83, State Highway Commissioner, and L. N. Jones, ' 20 , will speak.

Cadets and cadet officers to the number of 170 enjoyed a most delightful theater party at the Bijou last week Thursday. Two special cars took the men down and brought them back again. Between the acts Yell Master "Skinny" DeYoung, '20, took possession of the stage, and led the cadets in convincing yells.

As is THE USUAL cUSTOM, Juniors will be excused from classes all day today to prepare for the J-Hop. There is a buzz of excitement around the campus, and every car brings guests. Roy E. Bergman of Rapid River, as president of the Junior class, will stand at the head of the receiving line and with him will be his guest, Miss Margaret Crozier, '23, of Calumet.

The Dorian Society has recently purchased the Bemis house on Delta street and are making it homelike for the society this week with a newly received shipment of rugs and furniture. The interior of the house has been redecorated, and new electric fixtures installed.

The State Intercoliegiate and State Interscholastic track meets will be held on the East Lansing track and field May 29, according to an announcement made last week by Director Brewer. This will be the first year in which the meets have been staged on the same day, and the day will be made one of the biggest on the Aggie calendar of spring sports. Invitations for the Intercollegiate event will be sent to every college and normal school in the state, and an unusually heavy entry list is expected. Track interest is on the increase in nearly every institution in the state and the opportunity to compete against the best athletes will no doubt prove attractive to the track men of all the schools. High schools entering teams in the interscholastic will be divided into two groups. Class A will be composed of schools that have enroll-
ments of 300 or more students. Class B will be made up of the schools, with smaller student bodies.

Llewellyn H. Pieite, colored, former janitor and general handy man in the engineering shops, died at his home in Lansing February 13. Pierce, known to hundreds of both engineers and ags as "Joe" came to M. A. C. in 1890 and was a familiar figure about the campus for seventeen years. During this time he established the M. A. C. lunch wagon which was well known to hundreds of people and from which good and savory "hot dogs" were dispensed on cold evenings. Because of his genial disposition, his lunch wagon was sought by all classes and he probably enjoyed a wider acquaintance than any other colored person in Lansing. Ill health compelled him to leave the shops and seek outdoor employment. During the past few years he has been conducting a draying and cartage business in Lansing.
G. O. P. Not only means "grand old party" but it also stands for Gamma Omicron Pi. Young Republicans about the campus are enthusiastic about this new association of collegiate Republican clubs that has made its way to East Lansing. Already many applications have been received from Republican students who wish to join. The chapter at M. A. C. was installed Saturday afternoon. E. C. Mills of Urbana, Ill., was present and had charge of the establishment of the local club. Permanent organization is expected within two weeks, but the club already has a good membership and a list of temporary officers. The object of the club is to train young Republicans both under the age of 21 and over in "clean politics" say the organizers. The movement has the sanction of Will $H$. Hays of the national committee of G. O. P. Alpha chapter is located at Illinois university. U. of M. and Albion college organized chapters recently.

The remaining equipment for the cavalry unit of the R. O. T. C. has at last arrived, after numerous promises and weeks of delay. Equitation is being started, last Saturday's section drilling outside with the horses. During the remainder of the winter, the livestock pavilion of the agricultural building will be used as a riding hall or "bull ring." The unit, commanded by Captain V. R. Bell, has equipment which is a little more complete than that received in the army. It includes saddles, bridles, blankets, sabres, pistols and cavalry rifles, in addition to the equipment furnished for the care of the animals.

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## WHAT WILL YOU DO FOR

## THE COLLEGE PROFESSOR?

"The fact that individuals had any definite responsibility to the maintenance of our educational machinery was hardly recognized," says Eliot Wadsworth, chairman of the Harvard Endowment Fund in a recent article in Harvard Graduate Magazine. "Citizens voted once a year for members of the school board. College alumni voted at Commencement for alumni directors and members of the governing board. This, to a large extent, was the measure of our interest and thought.
"It may be safely said that Harvard has played a very important part in leading this movement. While making the first plans for the campaign it was determined that the publicity for the Harvard Endowment Fund should have two objects: First, to show the need of Harvard; second, and far more important, to show the serious situation which confronted all educational work.
"With constantly increasing emphasis the fact has been borne in upon educated men and women that the schools and colleges needed their individual attention. We began to realize that our whole educational system was in danger of deterioration or even disaster.
"Hundreds of institutions have been brought to a realization of the seriousness of their financial conditions by the rising costs of 1919 , with the result that campaigns for additional endowment have been inaugurated in America with a total amount asked for running over $\$ 250,000,000$. Demands for additional pay by struggling teachers have been insistent. Special elections have been held; taxes have been levied to meet this
universal cry from a hard-pressed profession."
M. A. C. with no endowment fund nor plans for raising one has got to keep pace with other institutions in the matter of salaries.

Here is a specific instance: During the past few weeks, one of the most progressive and result-producing of the agricultural departments has had three requests from other universities and colleges for men to fill positions in their departments. In two cases assistants were desired and the salaries mentioned for them were far more than the head of the department was receiving here. Just how much longer sentiment and love of M. A. C. will hold our good men here is a question.
As this is being written, we learn that certain salary minimums effective March first were established this week by the State Board of Agriculture at their February meeting. It is only a step, a ray of light, so to speak, for the struggling and "hard-pressed profession." More must be done and alumni can do it.

If you believe M. A. C. should keep all her good men and get more "big men" on her staff, make it known now to the governing board of the college. Get a sentiment created for it in your community. Do that now. Then let us prepare to follow it up strong next winter when new appropriations are made for Michigan educational institutions,

## THE CAMPUS RUMOROMETER

In this issue of the Record and those that follow for a time you will find a column or two of campus news and current comment as the student of today views it. We have a feeling that alumni and former students will enjoy some of the campus happenings "dished up" from the student viewpoint.

Possibly it may be a means of linking up the Record and its readers a little closer with the college student body, possibly it will lend a touch of that campus atmosphere that you used to know, possibly the "pen of youth" will present campus doings in a more pepful readable style for your consumption. If it does one or any of these we shall be glad.

At any rate, we introduce with pleasure student news and student views in two columns or more each week, edited by T. S. Blair, '21. He calls it the Campus Rumorometer. Blair is one of the assistant editors of the Holcad and has been officiating on the staff of the publication as the campus editor. Under the name of the Optimistic Pessimist, he has been presenting interesting phases of college affairs to Holcad readers.

If you like the Campus Rumorometer, tell us and we will tell Blair which may help compensate him somewhat for his efforts in behalf of M. A. C. alumni and former students?

## THREE STUDENTS EPIDEMIC VIC.

 T1MS.
## Lillian Harsh.

Lillian Harsh, '22, of Blissfield, died tht Grace Hospital, Detroit, January 31, of pneumonia. She was vice-president of the sophomore class and an active member of the Ero Alphian Society.

## Ebivin C. Grimm.

Erwin C. Grimm, '22, of Reading, died on February 7, at the college, after a week's illness with pneumonia. He was a member of the Hermian Literary Society, of the Big Four, the Students' Citizenship League, and the second football squad. His sister Lillian Grimm, is a Junior this year.

Don Mack Waldron.
Don Mack Waldron, '23, of Ionia, died February 6, at the college of pneumonia.

## WESTERN NEW YORK ASSOCIATION MEETING.

In point of warmth of spirit and good fellowship our alumni meeting at Geneva last Friday night, Feb. 13, was a great success, though but a few were there. A number who had signed up to be present were kept away by sickness, including Dean Hugh Baker. Dr. W, O. Hedrick, '93, gave a fine talk, carrying us back to early M. A. C. days, and concluding most effectively with an outline of the Memorial Building project, what it is to stand for and the use that is to be made of it.

Prof. G. Harris Collingwood, '11, was elected president for next year, Mr. G. G. Robbins, '04, of Montour Falls, vice president, and Prof. W. J. Wright, '04, of Ithaca, sec'y-treasurer. It was decided to send out letters to all members of the Western New York Association, asking them to send in their memorial building pledges at once to Prof. Wright, who will forward them to headquarters.
Those present were: Dr. W. O. Hedrick, '93, and Dr. U. P. Hedrick and the daughter of the latter, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Jordan, L. L. D. '07, of the Geneva station, Mr. and Mrs. Mancel Munn, '14, James G. Green, w' $^{\prime} 97$, Mr. J. C. Green, '01, Dean F. W. Howe, w'09, and myself, from Syracuse, H. N. Fox, '17, of Montour Falls, E. W. Phelps, '17, of Corfu, and Prof. and Mrs. G. H. Collingwood, '11. It was recommended that we go to Rochester next year at the time of the state horticulture meeting.
R. I. NYE, ' 12.

## LOSE FOUR GAMES ON WESTERN TRIP.

The Green and White quintet lost four of the five games played on their western trip.

The first game played with Notre

Dame ended in a victory for the Cathdics The South Bend team showed ${ }_{a}$ burst of speed in the last three minutes of play which gave them the big end of the 30 to 23 score.
The next two games played with Creighton were hard fought contests. The Aggies lost the first one 22 to 21 , after the officials had held the game four minutes overtime. The following evening the Aggies secured an 18 to 15 victory and gave Creighton the first defeat on the basketball court that she had received in three years. Tired out from the hard games played on the preceding evenings, the Aggie five lost both games with the University of Nebraska. The first one 43 to 28 and the second 39 to 20 .


## NICOLSON '15 LEAVES COLLEGE.

J. W. Nicolson, "Nick," '15, is leaving the extension department of the college March 1 to establish a grain selling and purchasing department for the Michigan Farm Bureau. Nicolson has been connected with the farm crops department as extension specialist since graduation, and has rendered the farmers of the state a great service and incidentally won a reputation for himself in inducing them to use pure certified seed, of types best adapted to Michigan climate and soils. As secretary of the Crop Improvement Association, he has been able to further the introduction of pure and certified seeds throughout the state.
Nicolson's new position will be manager of the farm crops section of the Michigan State Farm Bureau with offices at Lansing, and a seed and grain purchasing and selling department will
be established to operate throughout the state. Michigan is growing several grains in great demand over the country, notably Rosen Rye and Red kock wheat, produced at M. A. C. by Prof. Spragg. Supplying other states with these seed grains in carload quantities will be one of the activities of the new farm bureau, department. Purchasing of improved seeds and grains grown elsewhere, such as North Dakota alfalfa and Idaho clover, for Michigan farmers in wholesale quantities on a cost basis, will also be done. The department is intended to be self-sustaining, and it is expected that a half-million dollar business will be handled this year.
Although Nicolson's resignation from the extension staff will be a great loss to the farm crops department and the college, yet it is undoubtedly true that he will be able to do much more effective work in crop improvement and to render the farmers of the state an even greater service in his new capacity. His new work will follow the lines of his work as secretary of the Crop Improvement Association, on a much broader scale.
Through the work of Prof. Spragg, Prof. Cox and Mr. Nicolson, the college has been able to be of great service to the people of the state and other states. The scientific and research work which has been done in the laboratory has been immediately given to the farmers of the state through the extension service, in a most practical way. Although other colleges may have surpassed M. A. C. in either scientific or extension work in improved seeds, no other college in the U. S. has been enabled to correlate the two in such a way as to bring about the immediate results in practical application that have been accomplished here in Michigan.

The offices of the erop and grain section of the Farm Bureau will be located in Lansing, which makes an ideal arrangement because of its centralized location and its proximity to the college with which the work from the scientific and investigative standpoint will always be closely associated.

## THE PRESENT DAY HERO-THE UNDERPAID COLLEGE PROF.AN APPEAL FOR HIM.

Herewith my contribution to the Memorial Building Fund, and my appreciation of the opportunity to support the good cause.

After the success of the project is assured, and fitting honor has been done to the heroes "who did not count the cost," why not take proper cognizance of, and do something similar for the living heroes of M. A. C., who "assuredly do not count the cost," else there must be many changes in positions. I mean by that, do something to alleviate the suffering of the "underpaid" college professors and instructors now "carrying on" at M. A.
C. When other colleges throughout the country, whose requirements are probably no more urgent than those of M. A. C., are making drives for millions of dollars for this purpose, we cannot do better than follow suit. You have at hand the organization under the Memorial Fund project, who undoubtedly would be willing to promote a plan to secure funds so badly needed. I am not suggesting what course should be taken to the desired end. If political pressure will bring the results, there is no better time than now to use it. If we must dig up the money from other sources, that also can be worked out.

The motives behind this suggestion are not altogether unselfish, since this is a known truth, as applicable in education as in business, that the underpaid employe cannot and will not give the same measure of service as the well paid. It is a physical impossibility to worry over financial troubles, and at the same time render live-wire, up-to-the-minute service that M. A. C. needs. Now, we don't any of us want to be sponsor for a possible "run down at the heel" M. A. C. and it behooves us to get busy. In my moves about the state I hear criticisms that I don't like. Reaction against this condition will come sooner or later, and for the good of the institution we all honor let us have the transition made from within at friendly hands rather than from without by the other kind.
F. L. Granger, '14.

Benton Harbor, Feb. 12.

## CAMPAIGN COMMENTS.

A typographical error occurred in the list of subscriptions by classes published last week. Naughty Naught was credited only with $\$ 135$, whereas, five subscriptions of the class of ' 00 total $\$ 785$.
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"You can set this amount down as comin' from one of the old 'coal heavers' in the old boiler house when the 'wages of sin wuz 8e per hour. Yours yesterday, today and tomorrow.
"'Josh' Parish, '95."
"Wish this were for a million but what one hasn't, one can't give. Had decided for many good and sufficient reasons that I couldn't afford to subscribe but on the other hand one can hardly do less than our average alumnus. Hence the enclosed with the hope that it will help.
"All hail to M. A. C. and success to your enterprise.
"J. A. Mitchell, '09."
"On account of H. C. L. which is felt everywhere and worst among a class of people to which I belong, I
cannot do any more than indicated on the pledge card. I sincerely hope that a dollar will have the buying power of a brick so that I may be able to say that I had honor to place a brick piece in memory of M. A. C. heroes.
"Wishing for your success,
"Abao Itano, '11."
"Am glad M. A. C. is to have a building in which all students irrespective of class or course may meet on an equality of privilege.
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"I regret that the limits of professional salaries and local demands prevent a more substantial share in this enterprise but I am glad to have a small part, confident that if each does in proportion as he can, the aggregate will be worthy of our Alumni and the cause we honor.
"H. E. Van Nobman, '97."
"This Memorial Building is a fine thing and my pledge is not in proportion to what I owe M. A. C. but what I am sure I can pay. Later if I have more means available I can send more as I make payments.
"With the rest, I say, 'Long live M. A. C. and may she continue to grow and prosper.
"alice Hadley Wise, '03."
"Am forwarding enclosed my pledge to the Memorial Building Fund, what I consider a wonderful project for M . A. C. At the close of the campaign for funds, should there be a deficit write me and I'll try my best to scrape up a few more dollars.
"H. J. Buell, '15."
"I received a few days ago the sketch plan and subscription blank for the Union Memorial Building and have this to state about it. In my mind, a building according to the proposed or suggested plan and erected in this day and age of high prices. at a cost of $\$ 150,000$ is not good enough for M. A. C. The college would soon outgrow it as it has recently outgrown many other of its facilities. It ought to be a whole lot bigger and therefore ought to require considerably more than the amount planned for its construction.
"So I am going to adopt a stubborn attitude and let me state that I am not paying an income tax this year, I will pledge, through the chairman for this county what I feel is my just share of the fund under the existing plan. If, however, it should be decided to make the fund something like twice what it is now, you can count on me for just five times the amount I now pledge.
"I wonder if there are other alumni who have similar thoughts on the subject.
"Ray H. Storm, '14."

## THE CAMPUS RUMOROMETER.

By T. S. Blair, '21.

## To Begin Wrth-

Every organization or publication in its infancy adopts a policy which it upholds and adheres to in varying degrees. And so, in the infant outburst of this page, a policy must be laid down which will in all probability be like the present day scale of prices -subject to instant change without the consent or acknowledgment of the party of the second part.

But before stating the policy it is necessary to tell who we are, what we are, and our reason for inflicting ourselves upon the readers of this publication.

The Campus Rumormeter is to be a page in this weekly publication which, in short, will give to the alumni the undergraduate opinion and sentiment regarding college happenings. In brief, a chatty page will be issued each week under the supervision of an undergraduate which will aim to give you the inside dope on campus activities. The news columns of this paper present to you the facts. This page will try to present to you the undergraduate expression of opinion arising from these facts.

Opinions, like rumors, are oft-times of great or little value. However, knowing the opinions, sentiments and every-day comment of the student body of your Alma Mater it may help you as alumni in materializing your dream of a greater M. A. C.

The Rumorometer's Policy.
Being a delicate piece of mechanism, the Rumorometer is neither a Bolsheviki apparatus nor a political weekly. It tends against the new as long as the old established order is of proved value. But the present student body, like the present world family, is constantly unbraiding the old and demanding the new.

And not being a political page, as politicians say, the Rumorometer holds no brief for any organization, person, or group of persons.

With these few words of introduction, the Campus Rumorometer launches forth on the perilous cruise of trying to transmit by the printed word the conclusions of the composite mind of the students now enrolled at East Lansing. Many mistakes will be made ere this page smashes itself on the rocks of Oblivion or reaches the port of Something Done. But at all times the comment printed will aim to be fair, but truthful; keeping the vision in mind as a part of your official weekly of doing something for M. A. C. besides graduating from it.

## M. A. C.'s Athletics.

The basketball team has just completed an extensive trip that as an athletic accomplishment was quite successful. As a means of advertising
the school among the inhabitants of the central west it was even more successful. But what has this to do with you?

Athletic teams are largely built of men making good along this line in their respective high schools. When these athletes reach here, we, as a student body, will do all in our power to keep them here, encourage them, and keep them toeing the scholastic chalk line. But it is largely your job as alumni to get these men here.
U. of M. has already launched a big campaign of this kind. The reawakened alumni of this school having put over their financial drive for a Memorial Building should put on a man drive. We highly appreciate your war memorial. And we also highly appreciate a living, line-smashing or base-running memorial of your respective town or community.

The College Hospital Situation.
Administration authorities have intimated that a disclosure of the facts concerning the lack of proper hospital facilities upon this campus was looked upon by them as a poor advertisement of this institution. True, very true. The facts concerning the hospital situation of this college are in such state in many respects that they are unsavory for publication.

For many years past each winter this school just manages to weather an epidemic without casualties. Also for many years Dr. Giltner, and others, have been raising various agitations for the securing of proper hospital facilities. Each year action has been delayed upon this matter.

This year the axe fell. The usual epidemic of sickness resulted in two deaths. One of the men was moved a distance of nearly a quarter of a mile from a temporary hospital to a pest house at present used for a hospital on the day previous to his death. Here he secured for the first time individual trained nursing. This may or may not have been an influencing factor in the resulting death. The moving of the patient was practically a necessity due to there being no real hospital at the college.

A lengthy article could be written upon this subject. Many unpleasant factswcould be presented and proved. But what has this to do with the alumni?

Can you boost M. A. C. to your friends when you know that once theyare here they would not be able to command proper hospital facilities in time of epidemic-a far more dangerous time than when sickness is not prevalent? Think it over. Express your sentiments to your alumni secretary. See your state board member or anyone having influence in the college and add your expressions as
slumni to the opinions of the undergraduate.

The J-Hop.
In all its glory the Junior Class Hop was held this week. Cares were forgotten, troubles pushed aside, and every effort was made to show that one-and-only girl the time of her life. And so in recalling to you your J-Hop in years gone by we will end the first production of

The Rumorometer Operator.

## WEDDINGS.

Fick-Alvord.
H. A. Fick, "Chi," '17, and Miss Caroline E. Alvord, of Grant, Michigan, were married on August 20, 1919. L. L. Bibbins, "Bib," -15, was best man. They are living on a farm near Kent City.

## Folks-Strait.

James N. Folks, '19, of Hanover, and Miss Jennie Strait of Jackson were married on November 5, 1919. They are making their home on a farm near Hanover.

## Stone-Belden.

Donald Dwight Stone, '13, and Miss Dorothy Belden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Clifford Belden, of Northampton, Mass., were married at the home of the bride, on February 2, 1920.

## Hilton-Lincoln.

Miss Francis Hilton, '15, and Mr. Francis Lincoln were married on February 14, at Uniontown, Pennsylvania. They will live at 108 E. Fairmont Ave., State College, Pa,, where Mr. Lincoln is an instructor in the department of horticulture,

## RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, Almighty God has taken from this earth the brother of Lillian Grimm, our sister, be it

Resolved. That we, the members of the Letonian Literary Society, extend our most sincere and heartfelt sympathy to the family, and be it

Resolved, That these resolutions be published in the Holcad and M. A. C. Record, entered in the record of our society and a copy be sent to the bereaved family.
Signed, Edna Ceas, Florine Folks, Esther Skovy.
** Class Notes

The class of '70 ${ }^{7}$ Will have its fiftieth reanion-its golden anniversary-at Commencement this year.

Dr. Charles W. McCurdy, osteopathic physician and surgeon, has his office at 838 Rosser Ave. Brandon, Canada.
J. L. McClear, of Boise. Idaho, in reply to our circular letter concerning M. A. C. Association dues, says, "InClosed find check. You have made all the excuses 1 could offer, in your letter of the 20 th . I read that letter over very carefully, and it is all right.

It tells the truth and the whole truth about most of us, and for fear I would fall into the same old rut have answered with my check at once." And he adds, "Am doing the same as I have always done, working as U. S. attorney for Idaho, looking after I. W. W.'s, bootleggers, etc. Have not had a vacation for six years, but am coming back to visit Michigan this year and expect to visit M. A. C."

A recent issue of the State Journal A recent issue of the State Journal announces that the Hugh Lyons com-
pany of which Homer D, Luce is secpany of which Homer D, Luce is sec-
retary-treasurer, and Arthur Lyons, 02, is president, are increasing their plant in preparation for a larger business in the production of truck bodies. For a long time the Hugh Lyons Company made show cases and store fixtures exclusively but are now devoting a part of the plant to motor truck bodies. They still make a handsome line of period display fixtures which the company originated and which found instant favor. Two dry-kilns are being added to the plant's present equipment.

This coming Commencement in June will be the occasion of the thirtieth anniversary of the class of 90 . Plan now to come back to the old school June 13-18.

## '91.

J. R. McColl was recently elected vice president of the American Society of Ventilating and Heating Engineers at New York city. Ammerman \& McColl, the firm with which McColl belongs, are among the leading heating longs, are among the leading heating and ventilating contractors of Doing the new heating and and are doing the new heating and ventilating work for

The MacMillan Co., publishers, have just put out a new book by U. P. Hedrick, '93, of the New York Agricultural Experiment Station, entitled "Manual of American Grape Growing." It is edited by Liberty Hyde Bailey, 82 .
James S. Holden is located at 500 Holden Building. Detroit, in the real estate business, under the firm name oftate buminess, und Holden.
U. W. W. Tracey, technologist for the U, S. Department of Agriculture. Ft. Collins, Colorado, is breeding and improving the sugar beet.
Charles G. Percival, M. D., 1896 Broadway, New York City, late captain in the Motor Transportation Corps, with $11 / 2$ years in overseas service, has returned to his former position as wholesale manager for the Van Cortlandt Vehicle Corporation, eastern distributors of Peerless Motor Cars. He is post commander of the Herbert Roche Post. American Legion,

Teaneck, N. J. He is the author of several books on travel: "The Trail of the Bull Dog." "Autoing in the Arcof the "Bull Dog." "Autoing in the Arcand Its Functions," and "while overand Its Functions," and "While "over-
seas was editor of the "Bomb," and "Steering Wheel," two A. E. F. publications.
Charles H. Alvord removed from Washington, D. C., to San Antonio, Texas, December 1, 1919, where he is connected with the Chamber of Commerce as manager of the agricultural department. "Am also looking after some private farming interests near here," he adds. "Will be pleased to see any M. A. C. men passing through see any city."
Professor Thomas, L. Hankinson has been named ichthyologist of the Roosevelt Wild Life Experiment Station of New York State College of Forestry, at Syracuse University. For the past seventeen years Prof. Hankinson has been engaged in the study of fish in Michigan and Illinois, and for five years has been co-operating with Dr Adams in the study of the fish in Aneida Lake and the palisades Inter Oneida Lake arion Ha has Interstate park region. He has recently been teaching science in Charleston, Illinois, Dr. Beal, who sent us this information, says of him, "As a student he was one of the most remarkable observers at M. A. C., especially of birds and mammals. He took to it of his own initiative, looking over nature in hills, swamp, roads and water. His appointment at Syracuse in the nature school is one of the very best possible."
Dewey A. Seeley, head of the East Lansing station of the weather bureau, bared some of the secrets of his work before the Kiwanis Club at the weekly berore the Kiwanis Cerns Hotel last Thursday. at the Kerns Hotel last Thursday. Seeley, Prof. Halligan and Director Brewer.

Fred L. Woodworth, it is announced from the Chicago headquarters of Gen. Leonard E. Wood, is a member of the Wood committee for Michigan. Other members of the state committee according to announcement, are Senator Alton T. Roberts, Marquette, chairman,

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John Carton, Flint, and Robert H Shields, Houghton. Roberts besides being state chairman is a member of the Wood national executive committee as well.
Charles E. Calkins has asked to have his Record sent to Flushing instead of Swartz Creek.

## '00.

The Naughty Naughts will reunite at Commencement time, June 13-18, and celebrate their twentieth anniversary.

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A recent issue of the Detroiter has a lengthy article on the work of T. Glenn Phillips, secretary of the city plan commission. "On Thursday noon, Mr. Phillips talked to the Adcraft Club," the article says in part. "He told of the work of the City Plan Commission. He told of the sites which are to be condemned for parks, playgrounds, golf links, aviation fields. street openings and street widenings. He explained the zoning plan and the proposed zoning ordinance, which is proposed zoning ordinance, which is so often referred to and so little un-
derstood. Mr. Phillips can talk and derstood. Mr. Phillips can talk and
he knows his business. Some of the he knows his business, Some of the
plans which appear visionary now will be merely the natural result of the normal growth of Detroit."
The Lansing State Journal recently had an article concerning an achievement of Ernest I. Dail. "General Manager Ernest I. Dail, of the Dail Steel Products Co.," it said, "has just closed a deal with the Peerless Products Company, Toledo, whereby the Dail company will manufacture exclusively demountable wheel parts for the Toledo company. This is an entirely new device, manufactured principally for device, manufactured principally for Forderal stamping parts which are apseveral stamping parts which are ap-
plied to the regular wood wheel of a plied to the regular wood wheel of a demountable wheel. The contract just closed by the Dail company means the placing here of an initial contract totaling $\$ 100,000$.'
Doris. the eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Krieger, died last week at their home, $1012 \mathrm{E} . \mathrm{Mt}$. Hope Ave.. Lansing.

Robert E. Ferguson is now a special agent in the Department of Justice with headquarters at 301 Owen Building. Detroit. He called at the college February 12 on department business. Cat ${ }^{\circ}$ O6.
Cass A. Lamb, 811 Beal Ave., Dayton. Ohio, is in the firm of Anderson \& Lamb, machinery and tool dealers. They also do appraisal work and engineering work in shop layouts. His business address is 870 Riebold Bldg.
Mrs. R. W. Wyant (Zae Northrup. ${ }^{\circ} 06$ ) would like to receive news of the whereabouts of the following girls who entered with the class of 1906: Ivah Aldrich Gordon, Winnie Tyler Clute, and Bertha Walbrecht. Mrs. Wyant's address is East Lansing. She sends the following: "Mrs. Leslie B. McWethy (Eva Keeney, with 06) writes that they are living on a ranch at Thornton, Wyoming. They have a girl and two boys who will be ready to enter M. A. C. some day. Mrs. Park T. Wilson (Emma Danforth, with '06) lives , It Ionia, Mich. Mary Tingley with , Mich., with her parents. She sends news of the following girls: Alida Alexander, '06, has the chair of biology at the Illinois Women's College, at Jacksonville. Ill. Her street address is 831 W. College Ave. Cremora Alexander 310 at 3107 Fifth St., living with her mother. Fanny Beal is not teaching mother. Fanny Beal is not teaching this year on account of poor health
and is living with her mother and sister in Ypsilanti."
W. S. Towner, "Shorty," (with) returned from France in September and has since lined up with the Delco Products Co. as sales manager for 11 counties in western Michigan. "While

France, ${ }^{\text {in }}$ he writes, "I assisted in in organizing the Motor Reception Park organt. Nazaire and also at Nantes. I was it command of Co. B, 1st Corps wastllery Park, from August 29 to Artilleryber 14, 1918, through both the Septemihiel and the Meuse-Argonne St Nives. Our company received a citadrives. from General Liggett in each tion After the armistice, was sent drive. Saveney as Motor Transport offito Ser. Met several M. A. C. men over cer. Mere, among them. Major "Chuck" there, among them Met him one day near Grand Ashley, Met him one day near Grand Pre and just had time to say Howdy." Last time I had seen him before Was in Salt Lake "City in 1907 . Remember it. Chuck? "fu" and pneumonia for the past two weeks.
${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$. A. Douglas (with) is president and general manager of the Douglas and Rudd Manufacturing Company of and Bronson, Mich. The company manuBronson, automobile electric sundries of every description. Mr. Douglas recently presented the automobile encently presering department of the college gineering very substantial and attractively prepared, leather-covered, loosetively prepared, for their use.
Emil C. Pokorny is a contractor under the firm name of Pokorny \& Co., der the firm name of Pok
${ }^{207}$ T. Edison Ave., McHatton, chief of the division of horticulture, College of Agriculture, Georgia, says he is nothing but a teacher, and has not had nerve enough to quit it since 1908 .
'0s.
Phil J. Baker, industrial engineer for the Reo Motor Car Company, has resigned his position to become associated with the engineering department of the Duplex Truck Company. Mr Baker leaves the Reo organizaMr. Baker leaves the Reo organization after $111 / 2$ years of service. For ten years he was with the engineering
staff and for the past year and a half staff and for the past year and a hall he has occupied
dustrial engineer.
dustrial engineer. S. Bartlett of Butte, Montana, is president and manager of the Sheep Shearers' Merchandize and Commission Co., and vice president and treasurer of the Sheep Shearers' Union of North America.
'09.
William J. Baumgras is at Agro (via Mesaba) Minnesota.

Gerald H. Allen, Waterford Road E., Redford, writes, "We are living on a one-acre 'farm' thirteen miles from the city hall. Great place for youngsters. A good stopping place when you are driving through to Detroit. Also fine picnicking in the good old summer time.

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W. W. Shanor, "Bill," has been teaching science to first and secondyear students at the Gridley high school, at Erie, Pennsylvania, since last September. He also has charge of some school garden work there and is making preparations for the coming season. "The work has been very pleasant so far and the salary quite an improvement over last year's. We all enjoy living in Erie. It is a progressive, wide-awake, hustling, growing city. Just at present, I have been taking a week at home entertaining B, Influenzae, but got the better of the old boy." The Memorial Building appeals to me to be a very proper monument to the men who were killed during the war, Wish I could give more toward it."
O. H. Johnson, for several years director of the Wausau. Wis., Vocational School, is leaving this week for Sheboygan, Wis., where he will have the same position in the vocational school there. This school has an enrollment ors. 1,100 students and eighteen teachers. "Am rather loath to leave here," to says, "as the community seemed to be fortunate to gather almost Thereth enough for an Alumni Club. Mile were four of us here: Parsons, self.', Westerveld, all of '12, and my-

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Guerdon L. Dimmick, $J_{r}$., is in the real estate business at 1552 Penobsce Building, Detroit.

Ralph W. Powell, of Yale Mission Changsha, China, writes, "After a yon, spent in studying Chinese at the year king Language School and a summe vacation in Japan, am now backer's work teaching physics at Yale-in China. Our new $\$ 50,000$ seience -inoratory, the gift of the Rockefelb foundation, is nearing completler Physics will have the whole of the basement floor, which will be of the basement floor, which will be a vast improvement over the shaky old Chinese building where we have been working."
"Johnnie" Johnson, formerly deputy state forester of California, now has the local agency for the Pacific has tional Fire Insurance Co. "With ac. quaintances and friends made while deputy state forester and in the while ber game," he writes, "am doing fairly well. Loads of keen competition, but me 'for it," Cheero!
12.
C. Lee Harrison of Constantine was at the college last week to attend a meeting of the board of directors of the Michigan Livestock Exchange, of which board he is president.
John A. Holden, who has been in Florida for his health, at 803 Seventh Ave., N., St. Petersburg, writes that after being "under the weather" for fifteen months, he feels that the climate there is helping him, and he exmate there is helping him, and he ex-
pects to be in the harness this coming pects to be in the harness this corning ${ }^{\text {fall. Hichigan Aggie Week' will prove as }}$ big as you ever dared hope for."
M. E. Dickson is manager of the sales promotion and advertising department of the Hales Edwards Feed Manufacturers, 4919 Park Ave., Chicago.

Edmund H. Gibson has opened an office at 508 Munsey Building. Washington, D. C., as consulting entomologist and agricultural engineer, with work in municipal, industrial and rural sanitation, mosquito eradication. rural sanitation, mosquito eradication, spraying and fumigation
problems and projects.

Morris Knapp, 3025 E. Grand Blvd., Detroit, writes, "Just returned from France after finishing inventories for the motor equipment turned over to the French. I sold practically all cars to the six governments for the U. S. Liquidation Commission. Was in Warsaw and Berlin just before I returned from overseas. Landed the day before Christmas with my French bride "Hockey" with my French bride
J. M, Wendt resigned as county agent of St. Joseph county on January 1, 1920, and is now special tractor salesman for the International Har vester Co. J. M. Jr. or "Jack" two years old, looks like real timber for M. A. C. in the future. The Wendt are still living at Centreville.
E. C. Geyer, 511 Perry St., Saginaw, W. S., is invoice auditor for Saginaw Products Co., division of General Motors.
H. Blakeslee Crane asks us to announce through the Record the birth of a daughter, Shirley Louise, on February 11, at the Crane home. Mrs Crane was Muriel Smith, '14. "If any '14ers can show a better girl, let them bring her along to Commencement next June," advises her father.
A. Tolchan, 2987 E. Grand Boulevard, Detroit, is assistant general manager of the Little Wonder Stove: Company.

James C. Johnson of Shaftsburg is now living in Keystone, Oklahoma.

Ellen E . Thompson is supervisor of houeshold science, Owosso, and lives at 625 N . Water $\mathrm{St}_{\mathbf{1 5}}$.
J. A. Bennett of Nessen City, writes "Expected to be doing P. G. work in Colorado this year, but the government was so slow in getting my papers through that I had to go to work

- to bed. I found a chance to teach or Alpena so am here for the rest of In slp school year. I see Clemenson, the sitt and Henning occasionally. peaving has helped us in our athletics fenning carrying on his work in the pesides department.
bichway Sours, 509 S. Warren Ave., F. Rapids, is still engineer superinsig Rap of county roads for Mecosta tindenty. "I always look forward with poopty. to the arrival of the Recpuen" he says, "as it is about the only means I have of knowing anything, sbout my old friends and classmates. son. L. Barnum, Lake City, is starting his fourth year as county agriingural agent for Missaukee county. '16.
Alice E. Smallegan has asked to मave Bible Teachers' Training School, dress, Bibie 541 Lexington Ave., 679 Garland Ave., Detroit, G. J. Lux, Machine Co.
and Mrs. R. J. McNair (Eertha Puhle) is living at 59 Clark St., Pontiac.
${ }^{17}$.
G. A. Himebaugh, who has been teaching agriculture in the Lowell high school, has left teaching, and will begin farming on a 150 -acre farm near Sturgis.
Sturgis. Eggert is still with the Henry L. Doherty \& Co. organization, but has been transferred from their Denver property, The Denver Gas and Electric Lt Co. to their, Spokane property. "Was sent here," he says, "to work out various engineering problems, and to draw up general plans of their plant, pipe lines, etc. I like Spokane very much. It seems to be a very clean and thrifty little city. My address is 1901 W. Gardner Ave.
Zella E. Bigelow is now living at 1755 Columbia Road, Washington, D.

We are sorry to report that Albert E. Jones, Jr. (with), 7 Marston Ave., Detroit, recently lost his wife by the influenza. "But," he adds, my dear wife left me a dandy son to send to M. A. C. in the future."

Don Morrison (with) is now at home assisting his father in Greenville in the publication of the Greenville Independent, a weekly newspaper.
Harold E. Wright, Detroit, sends this report, "Veterinarian-marriedliving at 692 Second. We cordially invite all M. A. C. people to our home." "Bill" Coulter called at the M. A. C. Association office last Saturday while on a visit at the college. He is still With the California Fruit Growers' Exchange, but has been transferred to Detroit, with offices at 55 Buhl Block. George $\boldsymbol{F}$. Wells, formerly of Buchanan, is now located at New York City, Hotel Imperial, Broadway and 32d Sts., where he is employed by the Oliver Chilled Plow Works.
G. H. Brigham has asked to have his Record sent to 1715 Adams Ave., Flint.

Newton L. Reed writes, "At last I rich-quick" the Mecca of all "get-rich-quick" folks, namely, the oil business. I'm not in it for that reason, however. I am working for the CrewLevick Co., of Philadelphia, the first Oil company to be organized in the U. S. and a subsidiary of the largest independent oil producing company in the world." His permanent address is 1909 N. Fayette St., Saginaw.
Hazel B. Deadman lives at 495 Oakland Ave., Detroit.
Edwin Reed Smith is a salesman for lives Abbott Laboratories, Chicago, and ky. at the Leland Hotel, Lexington, E.

Einar Ungreen, formerly night telehas beeditor for the Jackson News, is living promoted to night editor. He $\mathrm{H}_{\mathrm{H}}$ living at the Y. M. C. A., Jackson. end of e the college over the weekDord of February 7, and attended the Dorian party.


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