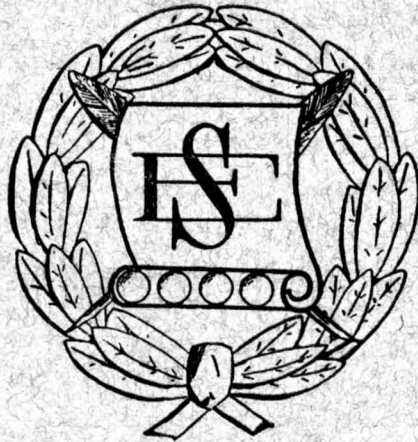


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# THE 'TIC



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Brother 'Tics:

This is the 38th anniversary of our society and we take pleasure in presenting the 5th 'Tic Annual.

The object of this booklet is to give the old 'Tics an idea of the accomplishments of their active brothers. We realize that printed matter gives but an inadequate idea of these matters.

Brothers, we urge you to pay a visit to the "House by the Side of the Road" and receive the hospitality which is traditional of our society. We are sure that a trip back to M. A. C. would not only acquaint you with conditions of the present; but also recall memories of the past.

## The Active Chapter

The college year of 1914-15 has been one of prosperity to the society. Our members have participated in every branch of college life.

In the fall term we pledged eight men who were initiated in the winter term, after having successfully completed every subject in their course. This being a perquisite to active membership, according to our new eligibility rule, we feel that the requirement gives the new members a good start which is so essential to a man entering college. At present we have three men who were pledged since the last initiation.

Active members taking part in college activities were:

George E. Julian, who was captain and full-back of the football team. He was unanimously selected as captian of the All-Western eleven and was a popular choice for All-American.

O. R. Miller was quarter-back of the football team. Brother Miller also played on Varsity basketball team.

H. A. Clark has won a berth on the baseball team.

C. R. Crozier and V. C. Taggart represent M. A. C. in tennis.

B. B. Harvey, G. E. Julian and Dan Henry were successful on the track team.

M. A. C. is now recognized as a potent factor in inter-collegiate athletics and we hope that the society will always be well represented on the various teams. In college politics we are also well represented. Bert Cathcart is president of the 1915 Senior Class, T. W. Keating is a member of the Liberal Art union, H. P. Henry is a member of the Student Council, and V. C. Taggart is manager of the Varsity debating team.

Our scholarship is above the average of the college, H. P. Henry and H. K. Wright being members of the Alpha Zeta, the National Honorary Agricultural Fraternity. H. K. Wright is also a member of Alpha Psi, National Honorary Veterinary Society. R. W. Streat, G. T. Hays, H. J. Buell are members of Sem. Bot., National Honorary Society of Botony.

In the military department we are represented by Capt. H. P. Henry and Lieut. L. H. Gork, who are members of the National Honorary Military Fraternity, Scabbard and Blade.

Dan Henry and A. C. Turner are members of the College Mandolin and Glee Club.

The above record shows the type of men who compose the society.

Our literary and business meetings held Saturday evenings are a source of instruction and enjoyment, the value of which can not be over estimated. The various society offices give the men an insight into business methods, which is valuable in after life.

W. B. Coulter won the Annual Freshman Oratorical Contest and was awarded a gold watch fob of the coat-of-arms.

In a social way we have been highly successful. A party was given each term as well as a reception for our new matron, Mrs. Osband.

### **The House**

All work about the house and grounds is carried out under the supervision of the inspector. Freshmen perform the general house-cleaning duties, though each man living in the house takes care of his own room.

The kitchen and cafe are under the supervision of Mrs. Osband. We are very fortunate in having her with us again. She was matron from 1909 to 1912 and is an honorary member of the society.

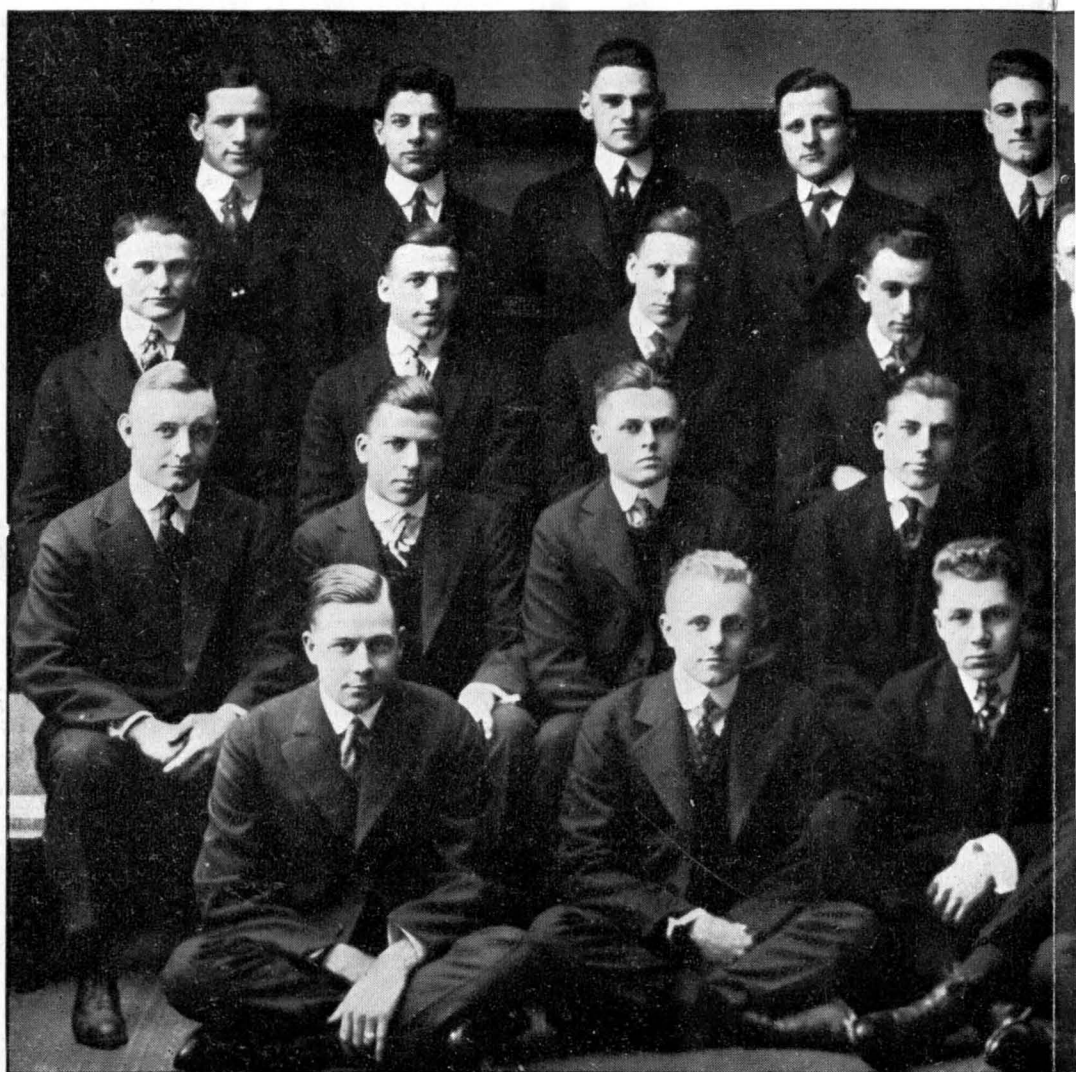
We have completed redecorating the house. The Senior class of 1915 presented the society with indirect lighting fixtures for the dining room.

### **The Grounds**

The landscape plan is being gradually worked out. The scheme is to improve part of the property each year. When completed we are sure to have an artistic design.

Last fall the City of East Lansing cut down the grade in the road east of the property. This necessitated building a retaining wall, which is now completed. The society set aside \$100 and the Alumni association made up the balance. The wall is constructed of reinforced concrete with a broad entrance of stairs leading up to the house.

The tennis court is in fine shape and is a popular means of recreation.



Reading from left to right.

TOP ROW

George E. Julian, '15	<i>Rochester, N. Y.</i>
Carl F. Miller, '18	<i>Saginaw, Mich.</i>
Arthur L. Turner, '17	<i>Memphis, Tenn.</i>
Dan D. Henry, '15	<i>Grand Rapids, Mich.</i>
George L. Monroe, '18	<i>South Haven, Mich.</i>
Frank L. Williams, '15	<i>Rochester, N. Y.</i>
H. Patrick Henry, '15	<i>Grand Rapids, Mich.</i>
C. Russell Crosier, '17	<i>Grand Rapids, Mich.</i>
Harmon K. Wright, '15	<i>Ann Arbor, Mich.</i>

SECOND ROW

Oscar R. Miller, '15	<i>Saginaw, Mich.</i>
L. Henry Gork, '16	<i>Grand Rapids, Mich.</i>
W. Bert Cathcart, '15	<i>Holland, Mich.</i>

L. L. Storms, Alumnus  
 George T. Hayes, '15  
 Richard P. Sullivan, '17  
 Bayard B. G. Harvey, '18  
 Van Cleve Taggart, '16  
 John F. Cole, '17

THIRD

Herbert J. Buell, '15  
 Harold A. Clark, '16  
 Louis H. Cole, '18  
 Joseph F. P. Newhall, '18  
 Rudolph W. Streat, P.G.  
 Thomas W. Keating, '17  
 Edward C. Huebner, '17  
 Robert W. Essig, '18  
 Wilfred B. Williams, '18

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## BOTTOM ROW

Ford M. Bird, '16	Lansing, Mich.
Maurice C. Piatt, '18	Lansing, Mich.
*D. Blinn Hall, '17	East Lansing, Mich.
James M. Johnson, '16	Lansing, Mich.
Henry A. Goss, '16	Grand Rapids, Mich.
William M. Coulter, '18	Grand Rapids, Mich.

## NOT IN PICTURE

Wayne B. Adams, '17	Rochester, N. Y.
*Ralph D. Hale, '18	Eaton Rapids, Mich.
Herbert C. Huebner, '17	Detroit, Mich.
Thomas W. Kennedy, '16	Pittsburg, Pa.
Charles B. Morton, '15	Grand Haven, Mich.
Walter G. Sprang, '17	Lansing, Mich.
*William H. Wallace Jr., Sp.	Saginaw, Mich.

\*Pledged

## **New Men**

At present there is keen competition among societies for acquiring new members. With eleven men graduating this spring we will need exceptionally strong new men. Please notify us if you know of any men of 'Tic calibre who are to enter M. A. C. next fall. We hope that you will accept this little duty as being vital to the prosperity of the society.

## **1915 Graduates**

We lose many of our most influential brothers this spring.

H. K. Wright, who completed the agricultural course in 1913, received his degree, Doctor of Veterinary Medicine, at the end of the winter term, and is now one of the state veterinarians of Kentucky.

R. W. Streat completes his work for a master's degree in Botany.

C. B. Morton graduates in Civil Engineering.

G. T. Hayes, H. P. Henry, F. L. Williams, H. J. Buell receive their degree in Horticulture.

G. E. Julian and Bert Cathcart receive their diploma from the Agricultural division.

Dan Henry and O. R. Miller graduate in Forestry.

We have a feeling of sincere regret as we bid farewell to our brothers who have been here so long. They are men, true 'Tics all. May success follow them in their life's work.

## **Meeting of the Building Association**

The annual meeting of the association was held in the Eclectic House at East Lansing, Mich., June 23, 1914, at 3 o'clock p. m.

The meeting was called to order by Pres. G. B. Wells.

After the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved, the treasurer's report, which was highly satisfactory, was read and accepted.

On the board of directors, C. R. Crozier, '17, was the active member elected to fill the vacancy caused by the graduation of the active member of the class of '14.

The following men were elected: C. S. Smith, '92, P. I. Allen, '13, M. G. Hillman, '02, G. B. Wills, '00, C. R. Crozier, '17.

Directly after the meeting adjourned the board of directors held a business meeting, which was called to order by Pres. G. B. Wells. At this meeting the following officers were elected for the following year:

President,	-	-	-	-	C. S. Smith, '92
Vice-President,	-	-	-	-	T. G. Phillips, '02
Treasurer,	-	-	-	-	M. G. Hillman, '02
Secretary,	-	-	-	-	F. L. Williams, '15

At this meeting a motion was passed to adopt and carry out T. G. Phillip's plan for the improvement of the House grounds.

### **Board of Directors**

Lincoln Avery, '82, J. E. Hammond, '86, S. B. Monroe, '88, H. S. Reed, '00, A. C. Carton, '89, T. G. Phillips, '02, R. B. McPherson, '90, R. W. Hemphill, '85, C. S. Smith, '92, P. I. Allen, '13, M. G. Hillman, '02, G. B. Wells, '00, F. L. Williams, '15, T. W. Kennedy, '16, C. R. Crozier, '17.



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