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EXCALIBUR, M. A. C. HONORARY general activity fraternity, initiated three men into membership last Monday evening. The initiates were A. L. Brown, '22; F. W. Henshaw, '23, and O. W. Rowland, '23. Election to Excalibur is considered one of the highest honors which can be given upperclass students of the college.

THE ARTILLERY UNIT of the college military forces won high honors in the competitive field day held last Friday at the close of the general inspection, taking the lead by virtue of victory in the final event of the day. The guidon, signifying first award in the annual event, has been held during the past year by the cavalry unit, winners of the field day in 1921.

MISS EUDORA SAVAGE, dean of women for the past two years, left the campus last week. Miss Savage will be on leave of absence until the end of the college year, at which time she will re-enter normal school work.

MORE THAN 500 HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETES, by far the largest entry ever recorded for the event, took part in the competition at the Sixteenth Annual Interscholastic Track and Field Day, held on college field last Saturday. Fifty-six different high schools were represented in the three classes. Detroit Northern, with a total of 21 points, won first honors in the class A group. Allegan was high in class B, and Plainwell pulled down the greatest number of points in class C. Several meet records were broken and the competition was keen in every event. While the large crowd taxed the rooming accommodations of the college community to the limit, every visiting athlete was taken care of well. The entire meet went off smoothly and on time.

MAJOR MACK GARR, in charge of cavalry work in the college cadet corps since the spring of 1921, will leave his present post at the end of the college year to take charge of the cavalry division at Camp Custer. Major Garr won the esteem of every one with whom he came in contact during his work at the college. Under his direction the M. A. C. cavalry unit became so proficient that it has been spoken of by inspecting officers as the best Land Grant college unit in this section.

HIGH AWARD IN THE EUNOMIAN-HOLCAD Prize literary contest for the current year has been won by F. W. Henshaw, of the class of 1923. Mr. Henshaw was granted first honors on a poem entitled "Cities." The same author also won the second general prize with a short story, and in addition the first special poetry prize. The winning poem will be published in next week's Record.

DON BREMER, '25, special motorcycle traffic officer for the City of East Lansing during his spare hours, was seriously injured last Sunday when his machine crashed into the front of a Ford car. Bremer was following a speeding car, in an effort to make the arrest, when the Ford turned off Grand River Avenue toward the entrance to the farm lane. Unable to check his speed or turn out, Bremer was forced to meet the car head on. He was thrown through the wind shield and quite seriously injured, although hospital authorities report that he is resting easily and improving rapidly.

THE VARSITY BASEBALL TEAM won from Kalamazoo College by a 5-2 score last Wednesday in the final home game of the season. The visitors scored twice in the first inning, but were held safely after that by Kuhn, who was pitching for the varsity. The game was rather slow, the team showing the effects of its long lay-off since the last game. Four games away from home complete the season's schedule.

THE ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT PAGEANT, to be known this year as a Festival of Games and Dances, promises to be unusually effective. More than 200 students will take part in the various divisions, representing dances and games from old Roman times down to the present day. A King and a Queen of the Pageant have been elected from the senior class, but the identity of the winners will not be divulged until just before the first presentation. The pageant will be shown on the campus at 6:30 p. m., on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of commencement week.

H. S. ATKINS, '23, of Chicago, Ill., was recently elected captain of the varsity track team for next year. Fifteen men won varsity monograms for their work during the past season, the most successful in the history of track work at M. A. C. While DeGay Ernst, individual star of the last three years, will be lost to the team by graduation this June, along with Brendel, Houston, Adolph, Carver and Schwe, enough good men will be left to insure another strong team in 1923.

LEWIS P. WALDO, instructor in the college English department during the past year, has been awarded a special scholarship by the French government, entitling him to a year's graduate study in France. Mr. Waldo, who will leave for Europe the last of the month, will be accompanied during most of his travels by L. B. Mayne, also an instructor in the English department. Both men expect to resume work at M. A. C. after their year abroad.
Expect Biggest Commencement Crowd

With commencement little more than a week off, and plans for the various class reunions and the general program nearing completion, all signs point to the largest crowd of returning alumni who ever wandered back to the old campus in June-time.

The combination of commencement and presidential inauguration promises the most interesting Commencement Week in history, and alumni everywhere seem to be planning to make this one of their home-coming years.

Class secretaries have been busy with plans for the special reunions; details of banquets, etc., are being worked out carefully; the official commencement program is complete and interesting—in short the stage is set for a real commencement. No features of former years are being omitted, and many new attractions are being planned.

Milwaukee Association Holds Annual Picnic

The Milwaukee Alumni Association gathered on May 26 for their annual meeting, which took the form of a picnic at Lake Park. The following account of the affair was sent in by J. Van Kerckhove, newly elected secretary:

"The men enjoyed themselves, by playing ball, the women as usual by visiting and preparing the lunch. However, this is a secret; the main reason for playing ball was to work up an appetite fitting for the occasion, and take it from me, the women certainly did furnish some eats.

"Between bites Mr. A. L. Pond was elected President, and J. Van Kerckhove Secretary for the coming year.

"During the course of the evening we found out that just recently the wife of one of our members, Mr. Homer Fay, had died.

"Among those present were the following: Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Pond, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Davidson and boy, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell, Mrs. R. G. Chamberlin, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wells, with their two daughters; Mrs. W. Merkel, two daughters and son; Mr. and Mrs. J. Van Kerckhove, Mr. A. Parr, Mr. A. R. Carlson, Mr. John O'Callahan."

'07 Plans Fifteenth

The class of '07 will hold its fifteenth reunion this year. The class supper will be served at the college at 5:30 p. m. on Wednesday, June 21. '07 ALL OUT.

"We want your family. That means the children too. Come on. You're about 37 years young, but it's a sure thing you'll never be any younger. Let's see you on the 21st.

Make my place your headquarters—254 West Grand River Avenue, East Lansing (1-2 block down from the new Bank Block)."

E. L. Grover.

Buck Ewing Rounds Up '92

East Lansing, Mich., June 8, 1922.

Dear Class Mates of '92:

I have heard more than once by now, '92 is to hold her thirtieth reunion on the old college campus this month. Many members of the class are planning to make the pilgrimage back to East Lansing for the gathering, and indications are that '92-ers will have a real, old-time class meeting when the call is sounded.

June 18 to 21 are the commencement days this year. A complete program has been published in the Record, and all of you will get a revised and final program direct from the college President's office, along with an invitation to come back for the commencement exercises.

Remember that President David Friday's inaugural is to be combined with commencement this year. The result will be the biggest, most interesting commencement week in the old college's history. You can't afford to miss it, and '92 can't afford to miss you at the class reunion table.

The classes of '90, '91, and '93 will also be holding regular reunions this year. The stage couldn't be set any more perfectly for members of our class to meet again the old friends of undergraduate days and live over the times we had together on the campus thirty years ago. All the classes who were in college our sophomore year will be back. Think of the opportunities this offers,—and they will not come again for a long, long time. (Think of those who never will come again.)

While I have not received positive replies from enough members of the class to give a definite estimate on the number who will return, many have written of their interest in the reunion and have promised to make every effort to be with us. We are certain of a splendid representation of '92-ers, with a goodly proportion of the members of the class on hand.

If every one will send in word at once, telling the best of his knowledge whether or not he can be back, the matter of planning luncheons or other special gatherings for the class will be simplified greatly. We must have some check on the number who will be with us.

It has been suggested that we have a luncheon Tuesday evening, June 20, after the presentation of the Pageant. Please send word that you'll be here then—it will be no time to think of sleeping.

It looks, from the splendid letters which have come in, that many of the old gang will be back (including both graduates and those who did not finish). All the rest will be with us in spirit, at least.

Make your plans right now to be with us during the Commencement Week, and don't fail to let us know soon that you can come.

Yours for a "large time,"

G. Elmer (Buck) Ewing.
Final Commencement Program

The program for the Sixty-Fourth M. A. C. Commencement, combined this year with inaugural ceremonies for President David Friday, has been completed and is published below in its final form. The events of the program run from Saturday, June 17, until Wednesday, June 21, with Commencement Day proper on the 21st.

SATURDAY, JUNE SEVENTEENTH
Senior Class Parties
Games
Canoe Carnival
Society Reunions

SUNDAY, JUNE EIGHTEENTH
2:00 P.M. Baccalaureate Service, Gymnasium
Andante ———— Longo
Matinee Musical Quintette
Baccalaureate Prayer
Rev. N. A. McCune
Solo—“With Verdure clad”
Haydn
Mrs. Olive Dilson Henkle
Baccalaureate Address
Rev. Ozoroa Davis of Chicago
Allegro ———— Longo
Matinee Musical Quintette
7:30 P.M. Band Concert
Forest of Arden, Campus

MONDAY, JUNE NINETEENTH
Senior Class Picnic
7:00 P.M. Swimming Exhibition
8:15 P.M. Senior Class Play
Forest of Arden, Campus
“Merry Wives of Windsor”

TUESDAY, JUNE TWENTIETH
12:15 P.M. Farewell to Campus
6:30 P.M. Twilight Pageant
8:30 P.M. Reception by Faculty, for President and Mrs. Friday
Secretary and Mrs. Halladay

WEDNESDAY, JUNE TWENTY-FIRST
9:30 A.M. Academic Procession to the Gymnasium
10:00 A.M. Commencement and Inaugural Exercises
Lenore March———— Raff
M. A. C. Orchestra
Invocation—Rev. E. W. Bishop
Inauguration of President Friday, by Hon. Jason Woodman, ’81, Senior Member of State Board of Agriculture
Inaugural and Commencement Address
President David Friday
Solo—“Chanson Provencale”
E. Dell Acqua
Miss Lucinda Munroe
Conferring of Degrees
12:30 P.M. Alumni Luncheon
Armory
2:00 P.M. Alumni Inaugural Program
Gymnasium
L. Whitney Watkins, ’93,
President of the State Board of Agriculture
Presiding
Overture: “Magic Flute”
M. A. C. Orchestra
Address: Dr. F. S. Kedzie, ’77
Address: Dean R. S. Shaw,
Act. Pres. 1921-1922
Welcome by M. A. C. Alumni
and Friends:
Dr. L. H. Bailey, ’82, Cornell University
Mr. R. E. Olds, Lansing
Pres. P. B. Woodworth, ’86,
Rose Polytechnic Institute
Mrs. Gertrude Lowe Woodworth, ’07, East Lansing
Mr. E. W. Ranney, ’06,
Greenville
Dr. Howard Edwards,
Kingston, R. I.
Mr. A. B. Cook, ’93, Owosso
Mr. F. P. Rogers, ’83, State Highway Comr
Judge Wm. L. Carpenter,
75, Detroit.
Dr. W. A. Taylor, ’88, Chief Bureau of Plant Industry,
Washington
Selections—M. A. C. Glee Club
Addresses by Representatives of Michigan Colleges and Universities
Regent Junius E. Beal,
University of Michigan
Pres. Dwight B. Waldo,
Western State Normal
President J. W. Mauck,
Hillsdale College
4:30 P.M. Alumni-Varsity Baseball Game
6:30 P.M. Twilight Pageant
9:00 P.M. Cap Night

1912 Reunion
East Lansing, Michigan.
June 5, 1922.

Dear Classmate:
The class of 1912 will be ten years old this month. All the members, either graduates or former students, are requested to be present at a birthday dinner to be given June 21, at Club D in Old Wells Hall. There will be an informal reunion, your real wife may meet your “wife” of college days (and compare notes). Original class yells may be aired, very few speeches, if any, many reminiscences, and possibly something to eat, though doubtful.
The college often makes the statement that M. A. C. cannot live on its past. If you have done anything for its future, pack it (he or she) in the auto and bring it along. We may have a big parade presenting to the college the freshman class of 1940.
Lock Old Father Time in the cellar and
come on back. We assure you a worth-while time and a chance to renew acquaintances of college days.

Verne Branch says we are to wear white with red trimming. Those were the class colors be it remembered. The committee will have "'12" numerals to pin on your hat or blouse, so all that you need to furnish is the "dressing"—and the "stuffing." You have the "stuffing" and you can borrow the "dressing."

The local alumni have appointed themselves a committee to see the thing through. Earl Hotchin is chairman, Clint Ballard, banquet; Verne Branch, costume; Mrs. Gunson, reception, and the writer, scribe. Pete Bancroft is booked as toastmaster for the occasion. His story about the bull fight is worth coming all the way from New York to hear.

You are expected.

The Committee,
Ralph Goodell, Scribe.

NECROLOGY

MRS. CHAS. F. WHEELER

Mrs. Katharine T. Wheeler, widow of Dr. Charles F. Wheeler, '91, died last February, at the age of 73. The following notes from the pen of F. S. Kedzie, '77, tell of the Wheelers' intimate connection with the college:

"The above notice will be read with regret by the older members of the M. A. C. family. "Mrs. Wheeler was the widow of the late Dr. Chas. Wheeler who graduated from the college with the class of 1891 and who was for many years a member of the Botanical faculty.

"Professor Wheeler died in Washington in 1902, while serving as botanist to the Department of Agriculture.

"The Wheelers,' father, mother and two daughters, resided in Howard Terrace from 1890 to 1902. During this period three of the four members of the family graduated from the college, Charles F., 1891, Lillian 1893, Clara Fay 1899.

1922 Reunion Schedule

The classes which are scheduled for reunions next June are as follows:

'71 regular '07 Twenty-fifth
'72 regular, 50th '02 Twentieth
'73 regular '07 Fifteenth
'74 regular '09 regular
'77 Forty-fifth '10 regular
'82 Fortieth '11 regular
'87 Thirty-fifth '12 regular, 10th
'90 regular '17 Fifth
'91 regular '20 regular
'92 regular, 30th '24 First
'93 regular

CLASS NOTES

'67 will be the oldest class reuniting this June. It will be the fifty-fifth anniversary for them.

'72 Golden jubilee, June 18 to 21. All out!

'71, '73, '74. June 21 will be a gala day for you too.

'77 is planning to make her forty-fifth anniversary reunion one to be remembered.

Ruby anniversary this year. What? Oh, that's the fortieth.

Are you going to let a silver anniversary slip by without being here on the best little old campus in the country? Now all together—WE ARE NOT!!!

'02-ers in Lansing are making plans to welcome back all wandering '02ers seen around the campus June 21.

Alida Alexander will be located at Manitou Beach, Michigan, during the summer.

Of course '07 will be right on hand for her fifteenth birthday. Why L. B. Hitchcock came all the way from Phoenix, Arizona, to see the bunch. While in Michigan he may be located at 517 Webb St., Jackson.

'09, '10 and '11 are all going to be there for regular reunions.

P. G. McKenna, recently returned from the "lost list," is now at home in our files at Cordy Building, Iron Mountain, Michigan. We should have said, is now at work.

J. E. Wilcox has moved in Syracuse, New York, to 114 Circle Road.

Mabel C. Rogers may be addressed at Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania, in care of the B. S. N. S.

Have you got your letter from the committee? Isn't it a blinger? Of course we can't tell right here what we are going to do but—You might as well come back, then you'll see.

Norton Mogge is in Wenatchee, Washington, in the interests of the Northwestern Fruit Exchange. He may be addressed in care of P. O. Box 791.
Jessie Whitney Cartwright is in Alma, Michigan, with the Northern Wheel Company. Frank Phelps is estimate engineer for the Michigan State Telephone Company at Detroit. He lives at 8649 Colfax Avenue.

Frederick C. Wise has moved from Akron, Ohio, to 733 Lake Drive, Grand Rapids, Michigan.

The Glad Hand Committee will certainly earn their salaries when '17-ers show up for their fifth anniversary reunion.

Percy O’Meara has moved in Lansing to 223 Clifford Street.

Tommy Keating says, “Engineer with sales engineering department, Ingersoll Rand Company. SAME PLACE.” Tommy lives at 12 Seventh Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

S. T. Wellman is draftsman for the Hayes Wheel Company of Jackson, Michigan. Due to renumbering the city his address is changed to 356 W. Carr Street. He writes, "C. R. Stough '17 and C. Hoag '17 are also with the Hayes Wheel Company. C. Collins '17 is with the Frost Gear and Forge Company and T. C. Dee '18 is with the Consumers Power Company. Lou Lockwood with '18 is with the Lockwood Ash Motor Co."

The following was taken from the Lansing State Journal: "Hugh B. Smith of Lansing was among the 47 University of Michigan students elected to Sigma Xi, honorary scientific fraternity, election to which is based on excellence in scholarship and proficiency in original scientific research." Smith received his B. S. from the Colorado Agricultural College in 1919 and was a graduate student at M. A. C. last year. He is a graduate student this year at Michigan and is specializing in science.

Didja see that letter in the Record last week? Pretty good wasn’t it? Coming back? Better had.

Fern Fillingham is in Lansing at 1017 East Michigan Avenue. She has been teaching in Bowman, North Dakota, the past year.

Pretty close to a hundred per cent attendance is expected at the '21 reunion—the first.

Ralph E. Yeatter is farming at Colon, Michigan.

Roy Maintland says he has been traveling around Oklahoma and Kansas for the past month in the interest of the Millers Mutual Fire Insurance Association, of Alton, Illinois. He is rooming in Alton, at 1106 State Street.

For a short time, S. P. Nelson will rip the cover from his Record at Kiva, Michigan, Alger County. He has been transferred by the State Highway Department from Grand Rapids district to the Escanaba district.

Fred Rogers has moved in Lansing to 1610 Blair Street.

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