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Alumni Delegates Hold Important Meetings

Wilfred B. Shaw, Dean of Alumni Secretaries, Speaker at College Congress

"ALUMNI of most American colleges and universities are organized in two ways; by local clubs or associations and by classes. Sometimes, as at Harvard and the University of Michigan, the local club forms the effective basis for the whole alumni activities. Elsewhere, as at Yale and Princeton, it is the class upon which the whole structure is built. Ideally, of course, both should function equally." These were the opening remarks made by Wilfred B. Shaw, alumni secretary at Michigan, before the class secretaries' group at the College Congress on the eve of the Homecoming game, October 28.

Twenty-one of the sixty classes were represented by their permanent secretaries or individuals who have shown themselves to be especially interested in their class. A. C. MacKinnon, '95, president of the association, presided and after the delegates were introduced, he presented President Butterfield, who welcomed them in behalf of the College. E. E. Gallup, '96, a member of the executive committee, introduced Mr. Shaw, as the dean of alumni secretaries, and at present president of the American Alumni Council.

In his remarks Mr. Shaw clearly outlined the need of better class organizations and pointed out many of the important tasks now being handled by the class secretary. The specific work for classes to do must be within their means. Addresses, news items, and class news letters were stressed as starting points for any class secretary. "The loyalty of the alumni depends more upon the fidelity to their work of the class secretaries than upon anything else," said Mr. Shaw. "It is the class secretaries who keep the classmates in touch with each other and

with the College, who maintain the class solidarity, who bring their class together at stated reunions, and who preserve the old class ideals. It is true that the class ought to elect the right man or woman to begin with, and the right person is born, not made."

The committee on recommendations composed of W. O. Hedrick, '91, Luther H. Baker, '92, and Mary LaSelle, '17, read the following report:



WILFRED B. SHAW

"In order to see that the proper and, wherever required, uniform facts concerning every Michigan State alumnus and class are kept; that the reunions are organized in a way to secure the greatest attendance from the members and an enjoyable and effective program; to stimulate the work of the secretaries by proper cooperation; to secure a greater unity of action and feel-

ing in the various classes through regular informative communications by letter and through the M. S. C. RECORD, thereby fostering the work of the local and general associations;

"Be it agreed, by the alumni class secretaries that we form ourselves into a permanent Class Secretaries' Council in order to accomplish more effectively the above purposes; and be it

"AGREED FURTHER that the administration of the affairs of this council be left to an Executive Committee of five, four elective and the Alumni Field Secretary of the General Alumni association, ex officio, which shall call meetings of the entire group, and do the other administrative functions necessary to accomplish the purposes of this Council. The terms of office shall be five years, or until successors are elected."

The recommendation of the committee was unanimously adopted and the secretary was authorized to call a special meeting of the Council in the near future to elect the executive committee and transact any immediate business. The following secretaries represented their classes at the Congress:

A. J. Chappel, '82, setting for Mrs. Alice Weed Coulter, sec.; Frank P. Rogers, '83; J. D. Towar, '85; W. O. Hedrick, '91, sec.; K. L. Butterfield, '91; Luther H. Baker, '92; Pearl Kedzie Plant, '98; D. A. Seeley, '98; A. C. MacKinnon, '95; E. E. Gallup, '96; N. A. McCune, '01; Edna V. Smith, '08; G. G. Robbins, '04; H. H. Musselman, '08; Olive Graham Bennett, '09; Mabel C. Rogers, '10; Robert E. Loree, '13; H. E. Publow, '14; Mary LaSelle, '17, sec.; Herbert G. Straight, '17; Glen O. Stewart, '17; Wayne Palm, '21, sec.; Carol MacGregor, '21; Joe Edmonds, '23; Clarissa Anderson, '24, sec.; L. B. Karr, '24, and Mrs. Dora Stockman.

ORGANIZATION of the "federated group of alumni clubs of Michigan State College," with Herbert G. Straight, '17, head of the Grand Rapids alumni club, as president, was perfected by the delegates who returned to the campus on Sat-



Herbert D. Straight, w'17, is Superintendent of the Grand Rapids Gas Light Company. He married Gladys Harker, '18, and with their 6-year-old twins, Tom and Dick live at 611 Parkwood, N. E.

Herb was a member of the Eumonian society, the Varsity club, the Hort club, Glee club, class treasurer in '14 and '15 and a campus politician. Straight was an outstanding guard in '14 and '15 under Macklin, breaking up many opposing combinations, and making it hard for the other team to break through his part of the line.

Herb spent four days on the campus this fall preceding Homecoming with Henning, '16 and Exelby, '11, assisting the Spartan coaches with their line and backfield.

urday morning for the College Congress, called in connection with the annual Homecoming program.

The federation was formed with the purpose of "promoting the interest of M. S. C. and the general alumni association, advancing the interests of the local associations, providing a meeting for the organized constituency throughout the country and establishing closer relation between the College and its alumni." Miss Gladys Love, '24, of Kalamazoo county was elected vice-president, with Glen O. Stewart, '17, alumni field secretary as secretary, and Frank F. Rogers, '83, as treasurer. Constitution and by-laws submitted by the alumni secretary were unanimously adopted. The federated group will meet annually on Homecoming day, and will be composed of representatives of the class secretaries' council, delegates from all local associations, and the executive committee of the general association. It will replace the business meeting formerly held by the association at commencement.

In his talk to the delegates, President Butterfield urged the development of a placement bureau, to aid both alumni and undergraduates in locating positions. He also spoke in behalf of securing en-

dowments and bequests from wealthy alumni and people interested in the College, and establishing contacts between faculty and students by means of joint committees appointed to study current problems.

Wilfred B. Shaw, alumni secretary, of the University of Michigan in his discussion of "Organized Alumni Work," stressed the importance of organization work among the local associations. He said that in most instances the old idea that ones Alma Mater is an education bargain counter—where so many yards of education is received—is fast passing, and graduates are coming to a realization that they do owe something to their old school.

Among the plans for keeping the local associations busy, Mr. Shaw suggested that the clubs place at least one book a year in their high school libraries; encourage members of the club to keep in touch with civic happenings or questions; provide more scholarships or loan funds; place a plaque in various schools for scholastic records; secure a speaker at least once a year from the College; familiarize voters with the progress of the institution and its needs for appropriations; the use of an occasional ques-

tionnaire among alumni and former students, and the continual building up of THE RECORD subscription list.

Those present Saturday morning for the College Congress were:

Dan Mather, and Marshall Shearer, of the Berrien County club; Don Stroh and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Pokorney of the Detroit club; Esther Caruso of the Shiawassee County club; Miss Gladys Love, of the Kalamazoo County club; Carl Bittner of the Calhoun County club; L. W. Karr, of the South Haven club; G. G. Robbins, of the Chicago club; Herb. G. Straight, Don Meeker, and Carol MacGregor, of the Grand Rapids club; Olive Graham Bennett, Robert E. Loree, Frank S. Kedzie, D. A. Seeley, J. D. Towar, Mrs. Pearl Plant Kedzie, and N. A. McCune of the Central Michigan club; President Butterfield and J. R. McColl of the State Board of Agriculture; A. C. MacKinnon, Frank F. Rogers, Bruce McPherson, E. E. Gallup and G. O. Stewart of the executive committee of the M. S. C. Association.

Varsity Club Adds Many New Members

WEARING long green and white sashes with emblems of their sports attached, twenty-two men swung out as new members of the Varsity club on the morning of October 27. Those in the line of march about the campus had won varsity letters in major sports last year. Returning varsity club members assisted in the formal initiation held following the Homecoming game.

Those selected from the football squad were William Moeller, Joe Crabill, Glen Hitchings, Hugo Kanitz, Jack Hornbeck, John Anderson, K. L. Christenson and Ernest Deacon. From the basketball team the new men were Robert Eldred, Carl Felt and Verne Dickenson. Baseball was represented by Robert Bremer, John Caruso and R. J. Davis.

Track men included Forest Lang, Theodore Willmarth, Meredith Clark, Harold McAtee, William Sparling, Earl Wareham and Lyle Henson. Alvin Ellinger was selected from the swimming team.

Spartan Gridders Stop Losing Streak

Scoring Punch Lacking Against Smarter Opponents in Previous Games

Unleashing a running attack that was not to be denied, Michigan State defeated Albion college, 20 to 6, on Nov. 11 in the feature event of an Armistice Day program at the college. The victory ended a four-game losing streak.

Albion college, boasting a heavier team than State, came to East Lansing with a record of having seen its goal line crossed only once during the year. During the first half it seemed as if Coach Young's team, too, might fall to the Albion attack. Wilson's fumble of Penzotti's punt gave Albion the ball on State's 35-yard line, and then the M. I. A. A. eleven flashed its only offensive drive of the day to score.

State looked listless in the first half except in the last few minutes, when Drew and Dickeson swept down the field from deep in their own territory to within eight yards of the Albion goal only to have the whistle stop a certain touchdown.

State opened the second half by scoring after a steady march down the field from the kickoff. Dickeson carried the ball across from the eight yard line. Schau, kept out of uniform by injuries for virtually the entire season, appeared in the lineup to hammer the faltering Albion line for a touchdown in the fourth period. Deacon ended the scoring by a 40-yard dash off tackle. A 55-yard run previously for a score by Dickeson was called back and State penalized for roughing.

Previous to the Albion game State had accepted defeat at the hands of Michigan, Cornell college of Iowa, Detroit, and Indiana.

Cornell came out of the west with a smart football team that found the Spartans in their usual lapse following the Michigan contest. Scoring two touchdowns in the first period, with a terrific wind at their backs, the Cornell team was never headed, although State came back in the second half to score twice while Cornell again counted. The final reckoning stood 19 to 13 in favor of Cornell.

Detroit's powerful and fast football team was too much for State on Homecoming day. The largest crowd that has been attracted to the stadium since the dedication game with Michigan saw the Spartans go down to defeat, 24 to 7. Detroit's line outcharged State, and the Titan backs, using a shift that was timed to the second, broke through for numerous gains. State's lone score came as the result of a long pass from Captain Smith to Drew. Drew shook off several Detroit tacklers in his race to the goal line.

Indiana, likewise, was far too powerful for the Spartans. At times the State team showed flashes of

real power at Bloomington, once marching for 70 yards down the field for a touchdown. Deacon scored. Indiana's elusive backs gained consistently through State, and piled up 33 points to State's 7, the largest score run against the Spartans this year.

Butler invades East Lansing on Nov. 19 in the last home game of the season. The Indianapolis team is coached by George "Potsy" Clark, former head football coach at East Lansing. Following the Butler game, the State team will have two weeks in which to prepare for a post-season game at Raleigh, N. C., with North Carolina State.

Harriers Win Three Cross Country Meets

MICHIGAN STATE'S cross-country team of 1927 stands out without question as the greatest ever to represent the college. Decisive victories have been scored over State's three opponents—Marquette, Michigan, and Notre Dame, and Loren Brown of Detroit, diminutive sophomore star, has accounted for numerous records.

Coach Morton Mason's men opened the season with a 20-35 victory over Marquette. Pfeleger of Marquette gave Brown his only defeat of the season when he out-sprinted him to win by ten yards in extremely fast time. State finished six men solidly behind Pfeleger.

Sweeter still was the 20-35 win over Michigan at Ann Arbor. Brown set far too fast a pace for the Wolverines and finished an easy first, with his teammate, Roosien, not far behind. Monroe, the Michigan captain was third, a few yards ahead of Willmarth of State. Behind Willmarth was Wuerfel of Michigan, and then came the remainder of the State team, Captain Wylie, Roberts, and Crowe, followed by a herd of Michigan runners.

Brown's time for the five mile Michigan course is the fastest made in the west this year. It was 25:31

and broke the Michigan course record of 25:39 made by Phelps of Iowa in winning the Western conference run several years ago. The veteran Michigan coach, Steve Farrell, was loud in his praise of the little State star whose performance was probably the greatest ever seen at Ann Arbor. Roosien of State in second place was also under the Michigan record.

Notre Dame was defeated on Nov. 12, 21 to 34, with Brown again taking an easy first. He was followed by Willmarth of State. Roosien had an off day and was in sixth place. A feature of the Notre Dame meet was the fact that the entire State team of six men made as good or better time than that registered the day before by Lange of Detroit City College in winning the State Intercollegiate run, thereby establishing the supremacy of the Spartans.

Three men who helped uphold the Green and White of a decade ago, returned to the campus the last week of October to help the coaches prepare the Spartan eleven for the Detroit university game. Herb. Straight, tackle and guard in '14-'15-'16, Ralph Henning, end for four years, 1913-16, and captain in 1916, and Leon C. Exelby, fullback for three years, 1909 to 1911, were the returning veterans.

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The Year
Draws to
a Close

THE last long mile is the hardest part of the journey, the completion of a task depends upon the effort applied during the period when some of the early enthusiasm has waned. The Union Memorial building is a living example of the lack of continued effort through the period when support is necessary to insure success. Subscription payments now in arrears are sufficient to pay off all current indebtedness. The close of 1927 is near at hand, your chance to enter the new year with one less obligation is fast disappearing. THE RECORD must have continued sup-

port if it is to exist, your Union Memorial building fund pledge is an obligation you can pay off now. The last long mile is a weary one for those directly responsible for the financing of the building but it can be brightened if you do the share you have indicated you were willing to do.

Alumni
Relations
Committee

IN connection with the development of the new Athletic Council which is now handling the general supervision of athletic matters, it was recommended by the investigational committee, which made a study of the problem last year, that an Alumni Relations Committee be appointed by the alumni association. It has been apparent for some time that to improve the athletic standing at M. S. C. a better organized effort among the alumni must be inaugurated. Therefore, the new committee will cooperate in every way feasible.

The appointment of the Alumni Relations Committee was placed with the executive committee of the alumni association and after consultation with many alumni, athletic officials and others, a fair start has been made. The association hopes to make the committee flexible enough, that other alumni in a community having more time than the chairman can relieve him of

some of the details. The Athletic Council is ready to suggest a tentative program for the work of the Committee. Pending permanent organization Earl E. Hotchin has been appointed to act as temporary secretary and organizer.

The committee is as follows:

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At the October meeting of the State Board of Agriculture, the following were elected to attend the meeting of the American Association of Land Grant Colleges and Universities in Chicago, November 14-17: Clark L. Brody, President Kenyon L. Butterfield, Dean John Phelan, Director J. D. Willard, Dean R. S. Shaw, Dean G. W. Bissell, Dean Jean Krueger, and Director R. J. Baldwin.

The details of the all-college memorial service of November 13, centering around Witter Byner's "Canticle of Praise," in which more than 2,000 participated, will be given in the December issue of the Record.

Secretary H. H. Halladay represented Michigan State College Friday, October 28, at the inauguration of a new president of Massachusetts Agricultural College, at Amherst.

Death Takes Two Prominent Alumni

Herbert W. Collingwood and Dr. W. W. Diehl Leaders in Their Work

IN 1880 when the total student enrollment was 221, there appeared on the campus two freshmen wearing sombreros and giving other evidences of cowboy origin.

They were the Collingwood brothers from Greeley, Col., directed here by a graduate of '71 who, in the west for his failing health, said to them in a voice scarcely above a whisper: "They'll take you on even if you've not completed high school and you can work your way through."

Pursuing the only course offered, the agricultural, "H. W." soon attracted attention to himself as a live wire interested in every movement. "The Speculum", published by the students and faculty in co-operation had "H. W." as its first business manager. (On the staff with him were Liberty H. Bailey and Jno. W. Beaumont.) Being of poetic temperament and endowed with a fine literary ability, Collingwood contributed to the Speculum many poems and articles of unusual merit.

At this time, and from the opening of the institution in 1857, the boarding of the students was a college responsibility—only one club being maintained—administered by a State Board appointee known as the steward. Certainly there was no incentive offered the steward to furnish anything better than a routine table. Owing to a question raised by the students respecting prices paid for provisions, the whole matter of the single club system was investigated by the State Board and a student committee jointly resulting in the establishment of the "Student Boarding Club Association," the opening of five separate clubs, under student control, reducing the cost of board, affording greater variety of food and enabling a difference in board rates between the five clubs. "H. W." was the first steward of Club "B" and was largely responsible in establishing the system. I believe the whole idea originated with him.

An ardent baseball player, he was the captain and pitcher of the col-

lege team in 1881-2, although handicapped by hardness of hearing. (There were no coaches in those years.)

For over 30 years he carefully and skillfully edited the Rural New Yorker. His "Hope Farm Notes" were read from coast to coast.



HERBERT W. COLLINGWOOD

(Graduated, M. A. C., 1883 — Died October 21, 1927)

A winter vacation spent with Michigan lumbermen as one of the "chopper gang" gave him varied experiences, which were published in the Detroit News and attracted wide attention. The "lumber jack" was then new to literature.

Finally came commencement and class day, where as class poet he delivered "On the Threshold." From this threshold with the aid of C. C. Georgeson, '78, he founded the Southern Cultivator at Starkville, Miss. (where the Mississippi A. & M. College was already located). A two year struggle convinced them that success would not be theirs.

An offer of \$40 per month from the Moores Rural New Yorker came opportunely to Collingwood and from 1885 onward he built his life into that publication, for over thirty years as editor and president of the Rural New Yorker Company. Establishing his home at Woodcliff,

N. J. he developed a farm for experimental purposes, "Hope Farm" he called it. Devoting the land to trying out new varieties of plants, improvements in farm machinery and best of all taking twenty-six waifs from the streets of the big city, one after another, educating them and developing them on "Hope Farm" for a useful life.

Four books give us an insight into his many sidedness: "Andersonville Violets," (a southern romance); "The Business Hen"; "Hope Farm Notes"; "Adventures in Silence." The latter book being a revelation of the life and feelings of one cut off from the world as the result of total deafness.

Actively working to the last he was told by his physician to stay in bed for a few days. From this bed he writes to his paper "he must obey orders," remarking that he has never been so confined more than two days in his entire life. The night comes and he passes on to other hopes than "Hope Farm."

—FRANK S. KEDZIE.

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"Close Beside the Winding Cedar"



Cox and Starr
Edit New
Textbook

A new book "Seed Production and Marketing," edited by Professors J. F. Cox and George E. Starr of the farm crops department has just reached the campus. The book is dedicated to Dean R. S. Shaw in "recognition of the inspiration and guidance of his friendly interest and broad knowledge of agriculture." The authors have prepared their material in a manner that it is acceptable as a reference and textbook by agricultural high schools and colleges.

Omicron Nu
Alumnae
Active.

The Lansing and East Lansing alumnae of Omicron Nu have formed an organization and elected the following officers: Mrs. Thomas Gunson, president; Mrs. Fred England, vice-president; Mrs. Floyd Fogle, secretary-treasurer. They are planning to make a study of some home economics problems.

Soccer Football
Makes
Bow On
Campus

Soccer football made its bow on the campus last week when the Northern Light team, 1926 central Michigan amateur champions, nosed out a 3 to 2 victory over Coach Ralph G. Leonard's College eleven. Coach Leonard declared that his team, as was expected, failed to make good scoring opportunities because of inexperience. The general play, however, was pleasing to the coach, and the boys are back on the field every day preparing for the games they trust lie ahead.

Pres. Mac-
Kinnon At-
tends Tax
Meeting

The National Council of State Legislatures held a meeting at Washington, D. C., on November 7 to repeal the Federal Estate tax, leaving this source of inheritance tax legislation to the states. Included in the committee of five appointed by Governor Green to represent Michigan, was A. C. MacKinnon, '95, of Bay City, a member of the legislature and president of the M. S. C. Association.

Military
Offices Moved
to New
Armory

The delay caused by the construction of new steam lines from the central heating plant has caused about two months' delay in opening the new armory. However, during the past ten days, Lieut. Colonel Sherburne has transferred his military headquarters from the old to the new building, and classes are now being held there. Several large assemblies have been held in the mammoth riding hall, and others are planned for the near future.

Forestry
Annual to Be
Re-Established

Re-establishment of the State Forester, yearbook of the M. S. C. forestry students, is announced by Carleton G. Murry, '29, of Grand Rapids, who has been chosen associate editor. In addition to reaching members of the Forestry club and alumni of the department, copies will be placed in the hands of professional foresters and public libraries of the state.

WKAR Win-
ner In Wave
Length Fight

Attempt of a station in Decatur, Ill., to gain permission to broadcast on the same wave length with WKAR, College radio station, was defeated by a recent decision of the federal radio commission at Washington. The College wave length remains at 285.5 meters. The fall term radio school program started on October 24, and will continue 24

weeks. Programs and lectures are being broadcast five nights a week, from 7:15 to 8 o'clock, the first ten minute periods being devoted to liberal arts, engineering, applied science and home economics divisions, and the second two to various branches of agriculture. Every Wednesday night from 8 to 9 o'clock, musical programs are being featured, with Lewis Richards, new head of the music department, in charge.

Master Farm-
er Added to
Faculty

Appointment of C. R. "Dutch" Oviatt, '16, of Bay City, one of Michigan's Master Farmers, as sugar beet specialist on the staff of the College farm crops department, was announced last week. "Dutch" has been a leading sugar beet grower of the state and his appointment was made at the request of the growers and sugar beet companies. Oviatt estimates that the acreage of the 1927 crop in the state is 117,000 acres, making Michigan one of the three leading sugar beet states of the union. College experts are conducting experiments in order to discover methods for increasing the yield. An increase of slightly over a ton to the acre on all Michigan farms would mean added profit of \$1,000,000 to the state.

Bent Grass
Seed From
Oregon

Recognition was recently given to Lyman Carrier, '02, by the Portland, Oregon "Telegram," when the editor pointed out where the fine bent grass of our golf links comes from. It is from Coos County, Oregon. The facts as stated were: "Lyman Carrier is the pioneer bent grass seed dealer in Coos County, having come to Myrtle Point from his former position with the crop department of the United States department of agriculture. About four years ago he began by paying farmers in the valley \$15 for the privilege of threshing the seed from their bentgrass lands. They called

him 'crazy' at that time. Now, and largely through his efforts, the bentgrass seed industry in Coos county has come to be known to seedsmen in all parts of the country. The seed sells for \$1.25 to \$2.50 per pound. It is one of the best paying crops in Coos county. The story illustrates what a man with a good idea can accomplish if he sticks to it and pays no attention to the scoffers who call him 'crazy.' Every great man who accomplished anything in the world has been called crazy at one time or another."

Barbecue Big Event on Eve of Butler Game

The annual signing of the pact of peace between the sophomore and freshman classes, when the traditional hatchet will be buried, has been set for November 18, the evening before the Butler game. The sophomores are to be hosts that night with the freshmen furnishing the labor for the big bonfire. Alumni returning for the game will no doubt include the barbecue as an important part of their week-end visit. During the program, which will probably be held on the drill grounds, the sophomore and freshmen class presidents pledge themselves and their classes to peace as long as the freshmen do not take too many liberties. This peace will remain unbroken until the thawing of the Red Cedar in the early spring.

College Bulletins Reach 40,000

More than 40,000 libraries, colleges, state departments and individuals receive the bulletin publications issued by the agricultural experiment station of the College, according to Mrs. Myra Bogue, who is in charge of the mailing room.

The mailing list of the college contains about 42,000 names. Each of the persons or companies receives a copy of the quarterly bulletin published by the agricultural experiment station, and containing a summary of all the research work done in the various divisions.

Every state in the union is represented, in addition to such foreign countries as England, France, Germany, India, Hungary, Hawaii and Cuba.

Two New Courses for Co-eds

The home economics department has made two additions to the regular curriculum, a freshman practice house and a child nursery course. As a part of their orientation course, all freshmen girls in home economics will live for four days at this new practice house, the home of Dean Krueger, number 3 Faculty Row. Girls will inhabit it in groups of five, and thus have practical laboratory work in home management. Junior and senior girls only have the privilege of taking the child nursery course. It is a laboratory practice in habit-training and character building of little tots. Eighteen children of the pre-school age, 3 and 4, come in the morning and remain until three in the afternoon.

Illustrated Bulletin Issued

Containing the most complete treatment of diseases attacking fruit trees, and also the first colored illustrations, to be published in an experiment station bulletin, a special booklet on "Diagnosing Orchard Ills" has just been issued by the College. The bulletin represents the combined work of three departments—horticulture, entomology, and botany. Its authors are V. R. Gardner, '05, and W. C. Dutton, horticulture department; Prof. R. H. Pettit, head of the entomology department, and C. W. Bennett, of the botany department.

Thompson, '13c Established at Manila

Leroy H. Thompson, '13, is now stamping his letterhead "Consulting Engineer Electrical, Civil, Mechanical, Manila, P. I." Thompson has spent about twelve years in the employ of the Phillipine government. Starting in as a teacher in their public schools he was soon transferred to the bureau of public works, where he became familiar with engineering problems of the islands. One of his jobs was to design and superintend the construction of a large pier in the harbor of Manila, where the largest pile driver in the world was used.

A few months ago he entered the contracting field on his own re-



sources. One of the jobs he has completed was the driving of over 200 reinforced concrete piles, each being two feet square and 110 feet long. These were driven into the bottom of the ocean around one of the old piers. He is now putting a concrete floor on top of these piles, thus enlarging the pier. In the near future he will have the opportunity of bidding on the digging of a tunnel about six feet in diameter and one and a half miles long, and lining it with concrete, for the new Manila water supply.

Thompson is a brother of Ellen Thompson, '14, who with her father lives at 604 W. Madison street, Lansing. Lately they have received several hundred bows as well as many baskets and novelties from Manila.

President Receives Belgium Medal

President K. L. Butterfield was one of the six Americans to whom Dr. Paul De Vuyst, director of agriculture in Belgium, presented the decoration, Agricultural De La Premiere Classe, following the International Country Life conference held here during August. The honor was conferred in behalf of King Albert of Belgium in recognition of services in the promotion of agriculture in Belgium and throughout the world. Others to whom Dr. De Vuyst gave the decorations were: Charles J. Galpin, United States department of agriculture; Dwight Sanderson, professor of agricultural education, Cornell university; S. C. Hutchinson and Dean A. R. Mann, both of Cornell university; and Miss Grace Frysinger, United States department of agriculture. In addition to President Butterfield, Sanderson is also an alumnus of the College, being with the class of 1897.

DEATH TAKES TWO PROMINENT ALUMNI

(Continued from page 7)

AGRICULTURE and rural life in Michigan suffered an irreparable loss in the passing from this life of Dr. Wilbur W. Diehl, Thursday morning, September 29.



DR. WILBUR W. DIEHL

The news of his death came as a great shock to his many friends. He was born at Milford, Mich., Jan. 22, 1865, and reared on a farm. Dr. Diehl was graduated from M. A. C. in 1887, afterward training for the ministry at Garrett Biblical Institute, Northwestern university, where he graduated in 1891. In this rather unusual combination of interest and study, combined with rare qualities of heart, mind and will, is to be found the key to his great influence as a prophet and leader of the modern rural life movement. He did not dwell simply upon the difficulties and drawbacks of agriculture but had a real vision of its fundamental values. Because of his great gifts as a speaker and writer, he was able to communicate to others the vision and the enthusiasm that he possessed.

He began his life work in Illinois with pastorates in rural villages as well as one in Chicago, thus giving him valuable experience in his early years with the problems both of city and country people. The development of the county farm agent in the early days had his enthusiastic support, and during the past ten years was a well known

leader in national conferences of farm organizations.

Throughout Michigan he is well known by the farm people. Regardless of his denomination affiliations he was regarded by them as one of their most effective speakers and helpers. It is in this connection that his great career will long be remembered.

The climax in the great work of Wilbur W. Diehl came in the last few months of his life, while holding the pastorate at Charlotte. In June of last year, the fortieth anniversary of his graduation from M. S. C., he gave an inspiring baccalaureate address to the 1927 graduating class, and at the time of Country Life Week at the College, was chairman of the conference on the Michigan Country Church and a Christian program for the rural community. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Hattie I. Diehl of Charlotte and seven children: Dorothy C. Hood, of Houston, Texas, Ruth E. Bullen, of Albion, W. W. Diehl, East Lansing, Leona Diehl of Chicago, Marie Diehl of Kalamazoo, and Isabel and Helen Diehl of Charlotte. Internment was made at Albion where for five years he filled successfully the triple functions of pastor, teacher in the college, and rural leader in the state.

—From a Sketch by Dr. Eben Mumford.

Many Alumni at Union Homecoming Day

HUNDREDS of Michigan State alumni and friends made use of their "home on the campus," the Union Memorial building, during the week-end of Homecoming. The Union was the mecca for alumni of both State and the University of Detroit, with alumni registration headquarters at the main desk in the lobby proving of interest and value to all returning rooters. A score of open houses, fall fraternity parties, a big Union dance, and many society dinners were held following the game.

Karl Davies of Lansing, a senior, has been appointed as student manager of the 1928 Union production.

Alumnae Council Makes Report

ACTIVITIES of the local Alumnae Council are well under way this fall and the women are continuing their interest in furnishing and fully completing the Woman's Lounge in the Union building.

At a meeting of the executive board of the Council held in the Woman's Lounge, October 4, Bess Covell Gould reported that \$43.02 was cleared from the candy and soft drink booth on the campus Farmers' Day.

At a later meeting on October 20, Mrs. Thelma Haite Sanford, president of the Council, reported that 40 women had made a trip through the American Dry Cleaning plant on October 5. As this was a part of an advertising scheme of the dry cleaners the Council received \$25.00 by sponsoring the trip.

Five dollars has been received from Mrs. Rollo C. Carpenter, of Ithaca, N. Y. This money is to be used as part payment of a frame for an oil painting by the furniture committee.

In her report as chairman of the lounge furnishing committee, Helen Dodge Stack, expressed her appreciation of the splendid spirit of cooperation which existed between all members of the committee appointed, Mrs. Gifford Patch, Jr., Mrs. Hobart Sanford, and Mrs. Thos. Gunson. In starting the project a joint meeting was held with the Detroit committee who purchased the floor covering. Miss Genevieve Gillette and Mrs. Anna VanHalteren Vernier of Detroit not only assisted in the rug purchase but secured the services of professional help that added much in solving the problems of furnishing the entire lounge. A large portion of the furniture was purchased at Grand Rapids where a prominent alumnus of the college gave considerable of his time, knowledge and experience in assisting the committee. It is hoped that additional items might soon be added to complete the room.

—Grace Holtrop Pettigrove, Sec.

Central Michigan annual football banquet will be held at the Union, Saturday evening, December 10.

Freshmen Trim Ferris and Assumption

VISITORS on the campus the morning of Homecoming day witnessed our hard-fighting freshmen team defeat Ferris institute, 27 to 0, in the first game of the season for the yearlings. The showing of the first year men was very good when it is considered that Ferris Institute held Kalamazoo college to a 14 to 13 victory earlier in the season.

DISPLAYING a consistently brilliant brand of football the Spartan freshmen eleven scored an impressive 26 to 0 victory over Assumption college at Sandwich, Ontario, Saturday, November 7. The yearlings punched over two touchdowns in the first quarter, scored their third in the second, and the final counter in the third.

Nordberg scored two of the freshmen's touchdowns, while Grove and Olsen made the other pair. Olson contributed the spectacular play of the day when he broke through the line for a 40-yard run and score. Durst returned a punt for a touchdown but the officials would not allow it, claiming the kicker was roughed. Durst, Nordberg, Grove and Breen played good backfield games, while Ridler, Schafer, Fogg and Gaffner were the line stars for the first year men.

Registrar Reports Steady Gain in Enrollment

WHILE the enrollment of 2,775 will no doubt change slightly, Miss Elida Yakeley, registrar, has given us the figures below to show that the registration this fall is substantially in excess of last year. The gratifying items are the number of men in the agricultural and engineering divisions, the ags making a gain of 16 while the engineering division maintains an even balance with the enrollment of last year.

The registration of graduate students represents an increase over last year and a material gain from 1920. These students come from a

wide geographical area and the transfers represent a large number of institutions. This phase of work of the College is developing rapidly and gives promise of a splendid future.

The following comparison is an interesting study:

Department	1920	1926	1927
Agricultural	519	400	416
Engineering	507	510	510
Home Ec	355	358	379
Vet. Med.	22	39	37
App. Science		263	257
Liberal Arts		823	989
Grad. Students ..	8	103	122
Phys. Ed.			65
Totals (app.)	1401	2571	2775
Men	1093	1843	1900
Women	355	728	285

MARRIAGES

SCARLETT-BOYD

Cleon Scarlett and Thelma Boyd, '24, were married June 21, 1927. They are living in Fennville, Michigan.

GARRET-REHKOPF

Glenn R. Carrett and Esther Rehkopf, '21, were married March 21, 1927. They are living in Cape Girardeau, Missouri, where Mrs. Garrett is keeping her position as instructor in the State Teachers college.

CARTER-MOORE

Linton A. Carter, '24, and Verlynn Moore, '26, were married September 16, 1927. They are living in Windsor, North Carolina, where "Spike" is district forester. They have "hung up the welcome sign for any Spartan" journeying that way.

BISHOP-HUBBARD

Orlie Bishop, Albion college, and Gladys Hubbard, '25, were married August 18, 1927. They are living in Mt. Pleasant at 304 S. Main street.

HOY-BIERY

William Ellis Hoy, '28, and Mabel Louise Biery, '27, were married August 12, 1927, at the Biery home in East Lansing. They are making their home at 335 Linden street, East Lansing, while Mr. Hoy is completing his work at State.

CASH-BARKER

Justin C. Cash and Ione Barker, both '25, were married July 5, 1927. They are at home in Buffalo, New York, at 225 Elmwood avenue.

CULVER-LIDLLOW

Guy Culver, '21, and Viola Laidlow, of Traverse City, were married June 8, 1927. They are living in Williamsburg, Michigan.

ROBB-FORBES

Frank W. Robb, '25, and Zetta Forbes, '27, were married September 17, 1927, at Dearborn, Michigan. Mr. Robb is with the Illinois State Highway department and they are making their home at 417 E. VanBuren avenue, Ottawa, Illinois.

FRANK-HUMPHREYS

Theodore E. Frank, '24, and Frances E. Humphreys were married September 14, 1927 at the Cathedral of Saint John the Divine in New York city. They are living in New York at 530 W. 122nd street.

HENSHAW-MAXSON

Fred Henshaw, '23, and Dorothy Maxson, '25, were married October 2, 1927, in Lansing. They are living in Detroit at 10217 Dexter boulevard.

CALKINS-DUNN

Ford Calkins, '26, and Mary E. Dunn of Jackson, Michigan, were married November 29, 1926. They are living in Milford, and Calkins is bee inspector for Oakland county.

Extension Workers Hold Annual Conference

THE fifteenth annual extension conference, held at the College for three days preceding the Homecoming game, was attended by approximately 100 visitors, representing practically all men and women of the extension staff in the state.

The meetings were held in the Little Theater of the home economics building, with R. J. Baldwin, director of extension service, as chairman. That the work of the department has grown tremendously since 1912, when the first agricultural agent was appointed, was shown from the figures given the workers by Director Baldwin. There are now, in 1927, seven members in the administrative staff, 55 agricultural agents, 8 club agents, 8 members of the club leaders' staff, 5 home demonstration agents, 11 specialists in home economics, 33 agricultural specialists, and 3 members of the extension editor's staff.

During the conference President Butterfield stressed extension as one phase of the ever-growing adult education movement. Other speakers included Dr. Frank O. Kreager, of Louisiana State university, who gave a series of four lectures on "Psychology of Personal Efficiency," Dean R. S.

Shaw, Dean John Phelan, John D. Willard, and C. E. Ladd, director of the New York state extension service. Several social events with the local extension workers as hosts were enjoyed by the visitors.

DEATHS

IVA BEACH HALES, '20

Mrs. Kenneth Hales, formerly Iva Beach, '20, died October 12 at her home in Oak Park, Illinois, after a two weeks' illness.

For some time after leaving college Mrs. Hales taught in the Battle Creek high school. She then went into partnership in the operation of The Greenwich Village Inn, a popular tea shop in Bloomington, Illinois.

On July 25, 1927, she was married to Kenneth Hales, and made her home in Oak Park.

While in college Mrs. Hales was a member of the Sororian society, and Spinz honorary.

MORRIS R. COLLINS, '26

Morris R. Collins, '28, died September 29, 1927, at the farm home of his parents, three miles southeast of East Lansing, of infantile paralysis.

Following his graduation from State, Mr. Collins was employed by the Detroit Edison company at Trenton, Michigan.

Besides the parents, he is survived by one sister, Norma Collins Landon, '26, and one brother, Howard.

CLIFFORD SHEATHELM, '27

Clifford Sheathelm, '27, died November 6, 1927, at his home in Lansing, following an illness of a few weeks.

He was graduated from State with high scholastic honors and was a member of Tau Sigma, honorary science society. He was active in class basketball and Y. M. C. A. work.

CLARK STRAUCH, '25

Clark Strauch died at the Durand home of his parents October 2, 1927, following a long illness.

For a short time following his graduation he was assistant district engineer for the Standard Oil company in Detroit.

He was a member of the Eunoian society.

SPARTAN CLUBS

SEATTLE ASSOCIATION

THE Seattle M. S. C. Association met with Mr. and Mrs. John Dunford, 326 22nd Ave. N. on October third, to greet Mr. and Mrs. Ernest I. Dail, of Lansing, Michigan. The Dails gave us the

latest campus news and told of recent changes back at the old school. Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Shelton, '71, responded with happenings in their college days. John Dunford, '02, was elected president for the coming year. Those present at the reunion were:

E. I. Dail, '02, and Mrs. Bernice Black Dail, w'07, Lansing, Mich.; John Dunford, '02, and Mrs. Dunford; Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Shelton, '71; Emma B. Barrett, '03, and Mrs. Barrett; R. F. Bell, '05, and Mrs. Bell; Bernice Campbell, '20, and Mrs. Campbell; Lucile Fleming '07; Harvey G. Hall, '14; Dr. R. J. McCurdy, '16, and Gertrude Hudson McCurdy, '17; Henry L. Pinney, '92; Mary A. Smith, '06; Mar'an Laidlaw Sorenson, '20, and Mr. Sorenson; K. B. Stevens, '06, and Mrs. Stevens; Frank Weyenth, '20.

EMMA B. BARRETT, '03, Sec.
4001 Whitman Ave.,
Seattle, Wash.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

1953 West 20th St.,
Los Angeles, California,
September 9, 1927

Mr. Glen O. Stewart,
M. S. C. Association,
East Lansing, Michigan.
Dear Sir:

Since I am writing you anyway, I am enclosing a belated list of the alumni of California present at the annual meeting on June 2, 1927, held at the Point Fermin Cafe, Point Fermin, California, account of which I gave you when I called on you in East Lansing.

As the funds are now available I am enclosing herewith the Association's check for \$50.00, the amount

voted by the members of the Association to be contributed to the Union Memorial Building Fund for whatever use it is deemed advisable by the building committee. As it is known the building is in need of furniture, it is expected that our small contribution will be put with others, and as no specific furniture was mentioned I take it upon myself to suggest that it be used toward the purchase of the orthophonic victrola which you mentioned was being considered by the committee.

Respectfully,

M. S. C. Association of California,
H. J. Andrews, Secretary and
Treasurer.

BERRIEN COUNTY

OCTOBER 25 marked the first meeting this season of the Berrien County alumni club when about forty-five of its members gathered for a potluck supper at the Fairplain Community hall in Benton Harbor. The program arranged by Dan Mather, '12, president of the club, was an informal one and at the conclusion of the supper Glen O. Stewart, alumni field secretary, gave a short talk on "Newer Interests in Education," explaining especially the use and importance of the Union Memorial building on the campus today. Marshall Shearer, '16, and Dan Mather were elected as delegates from the club to attend the College Congress at East Lansing on the morning of Homecoming.

The entertainment of the evening was featured by a kangaroo court, in which "Billy" Parks, '00, was severely fined for accidentally dropping an over-size test tube of an unnamed liquid. Old fashioned dances, M. S. C. songs, old and new, and interchanging ideas on the College filled the remainder of the evening. The club hopes to hold several meetings this winter, changing to various parts of the county in order to reach more people. "Art" Eidson, '12, is chairman for the January meeting which will be held at Berrien Springs Community hall. Alumni and former students not now on our mailing list are urged to write Dan Mather, 612 Jones St., St. Joseph.



Among those present at the Hal-lowe'en party were: Leo Stanley and wife; M. S. and Kittie Handy Fuller; Glen O. Stewart; G. G. Gabel and wife; T. L. and Margaret Campbell Leach; Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Campbell, '94, of Port Huron; Dan Mather and wife; Joe Pratt and wife; W. H. Kendall and wife; Burt W. Keith and wife; W. S. McGowan and wife; Fred Carter and wife; C. F. Widick and wife; Arthur Eidson and wife; Marshall Shearer and wife; William Parks and wife; Fred Granger and wife; Loretta White, Lila Koch and Ethel Caldwell.

—Secretary.

MICHIGAN STATE is one of the four or five educational institutions of the state which has successfully held to the idea of reunion dinners and alumni get-togethers each fall at the time of the Michigan State Teachers' association meetings.

Following a custom inaugurated by the late Professor Walter H. French, an alumni reunion was held in eight of the nine districts of the state this year. Wherever possible the local alumni were hosts to the visiting teachers and the following reports are very gratifying.

DISTRICT NO. 2

From Dan Ellis, '07, of Saginaw, comes this word about the Saginaw M. S. C. alumni get-together held during the two day stay of the teachers in the second district.

"We were all glad to meet again after a lapse of several years, and especially so when we could meet so many of the visiting teachers. Glen Stewart did considerable work in lining the meeting up for us and established a headquarters room at the Bancroft where visiting teachers could register, rest and eat some good apples.

"In the absence of A. B. Love, county agent, Clare "Windy" Winston, '16, was drafted as chairman of the meeting held in the Gold Room of the Bancroft, Thursday evening, Oct. 20. Those of you who know Clare know quite well that he could handle the job, just like he sells Hupmobiles here in the city.

Several novel stunts and college songs were a part of his program.

"Among those who spoke to us were Rep. A. C. MacKinnon, '95, of Bay City, president of the M. S. C. alumni association, our new field secretary, Glen O. Stewart, and B. A. Walpole of the education department at the College. So well pleased were the local bunch that they wanted more meetings during the year and drafted Winston as president of the local alumni club. You will hear from us later in the year and hope that more of the Saginaw Staters will be on hand when we blow the whistle.

"Those registering at the banquet included:

Russell A. Morrison, '23; Millicent Clark, '26; Ruth E. Norton, '27; C. N. Winston, '16; Rhoda Reed Winston, '16; B. P. Latter, '19; E. E. Gallup, '96; C. M. Horn, '21; Thomas B. Poole, '22; G. R. Bogan, '16; Ilene Wilson Bogan, '18; Francis Ode, '19; Geneva Hull, '21; Madys Kosal, '27; Alma Archer, '27; B. Woodmano, '25; Grace Urch, '18; M. Louise Larabee, '20; E. J. Grambau, '20; H. B. Vasold, '14; Mrs. H. B. Vasold, '10; G. D. Gilbert, '14; A. C. MacKinnon, '95; Dorothy Dundas Peterson, '27; Helen Irene Smith, '27; Marshall Lane, '26; Elmer C. Geyer, '13; Howard E. Beatty, '16, and Mrs. Beatty; Edith Graham, '20; Agnes McKinley, '20; W. F. Winston, '26; Daniel H. Ellis, '07, and Mrs. Ellis; H. H. Bickel, '22; Henry E. Aldrich, '14; Mrs. Henry Aldrich; R. E. Trippensee, '20; Rose Hogue, '16; Ruth M. Babcock, '25; and Katherine Casey, Georgia Fowler, B. A. Walpole.

—Dan H. Ellis, '07, Secretary.

DISTRICT NO. 3

Probably the largest alumni meeting ever held in connection with the Michigan State Teachers' Association since the State was divided into nine districts was held at the Y. M. C. A. banquet hall, in Jackson, Friday noon, October 21. Ninety-eight alumni and guests were present. The number was made up principally of teachers attending the third district meeting of the Michigan Teachers' Association, together with members of the Jackson county alumni club who acted as hosts for the day.

George J. Dobben, '24, president of the live-wires at Jackson arranged some very delightful musical numbers. Group songs were especially enjoyed.

Alumni Field Secretary, Glen O. Stewart, kept the crowd guessing with his "Ask Me Another" question stunt, and everyone felt very soon that they were much better acquainted with the old campus than they were earlier in the day.

The main talk of the luncheon hour was given by R. B. "Buck" Weaver, assistant professor of English, and director of students' religious activities of the Peoples church at East Lansing. His talk on "Loyalty," stirred the hearts of every old grad and former student and everyone accepted his challenge to do something for his Alma Mater.

The following people attended the meeting according to word sent in by Mrs. Lucille Urch Judd, '18, secretary of the Jackson club:

Mary E. Rogers, w'23; Ruby C. Anderson; Nina B. Hewett, '11; Gladys Franks, w'27; Dorothy Fisk, '27; Winfred Smith Topping, '21; Carl E. Topping, '23; Eugene Elliot, '24; Wilma Gardner Elliot; James Venner, '18; Josephine D. Venner; Mabel C. Rogers, '10; Minnie L. Irons; Merle D. Byers; John Ruff; Myrtle D. Francis; R. J. MacVean, '22; M. Fern True, '25; Sylvia King, '25; Arthur P. Pulling, '10; H. W. Schmidt, '23; Clarence S. Hood, '22; William H. "Bill" Taylor, '23; Florence Fallgatten, U. of Minn.; Ruth Freegard, U. of Chicago; Forrest A. Smith, '22; R. E. Lane, '23; H. L. Smith, U. of C., '26; Chas. B. Park, '25; Robert S. Linton, '16; G. C. Collins, '17; B. H. A. Brandell, '16; H. J. Plumb, '21; Florence Folks Plumb, '20; Gertrude Babcock Karkau, '20; Edward L. Karkau, '20; Leah W. Smith, '24; Irene Patterson, '24; V. O. Braun, '24; Ezra Eby, '25; E. L. Grover, '07; D. E. Spotts, '26; C. H. Wright, '25; J. D. Madaras, '24; Ellen Thompson, '14; Helene A. Perrin, '17; Madeline Thompson, '23; Mary LaSelle, '17; Maude E. Brandt; H. O. Brandt, '24; J. M. Biory, '25; L. J. Vincent, '25; Ruth Free-land, '25; Bernice Mitchell, '26; Wayne Van Riper, '26; G. L. Wilkins, '26; William E. Jacobs, '23; L. G. Morse, '27; Mrs. Geo. Dobben; Geo. Dobben, '24; Bennett Weaver; L. C. Schafer, '21; George J. Henshaw, '17; Glen O. Stewart, '17; O. W. Laidlaw, '17; Aysha R. Laidlaw, '16; Mary C. Marshall, '24; Clayton E. Marshall, '21; Eva H. Wright, '21; Marie L. Volk, '25; Marie Merriman, '21; Helen Taylor, '25; Ruth A. Russel, '13; Beryl Evens, '22; Esther Iddles, '25; Bernice Vollmer, '24; Leland K. Dewey, '25; Ralph J. Dodge, '14; A. H. Ferrine, '10; M. G. Houghton, '26; Chas. L. Williams, '14; H. N. Fox, '17; E. V. Sayles, '21E and Mrs. E. V. Sayles; Irving Kirshman, '14; R. N. Kebler, '14; H. F. Small, '23; Margaret Copas Colvin, '19; Frank W. Schmidt, '14; J. A. Dennis and wife, '18; Grace W. Urch, '18; Lucille Urch Judd, '18.

Reports of the other districts will be given in the December issue of THE RECORD.

Faculty members of the College recently formed an M. S. C. Faculty association, an unofficial body which will hold monthly meetings to "discuss subjects vital to higher education."

Announcement has just been made of the coming of the 70-piece Detroit Symphony orchestra to the College, for two concerts in the new Armory on November 21. Lewis Richards, new head of the college music department, will appear as soloist with the orchestra.

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Kedzie Laboratory, East Lansing.

A. B. Peebles is living in National City, California.

1882

Alice W. Coulter, Secretary,
457 Union Ave., S. E., Grand Rapids.

John R. Shelton and Mrs. Shelton, now living at Del Mar, California, have returned from an extended trip to the east, visiting at New Orleans, Washington, New York, Detroit, Grand Rapids and the College.

L. B. Hall is living at Oak Park, Illinois, at 916 Ontario street.

1886

Jason Hammond, Secretary
128 Beech St., East Lansing.

Clarence Judson is office engineer to the chief engineer of the New York Central lines in Cleveland, Ohio. He lives in Berea at 396 Beech street.

1888

Charles B. Cook, Secretary,
Route 1, Owosso.

N. S. Mayo, Lt. Col. Vet. O. R. C., was ordered to Fort Robinson, Nebraska, in July to a conference of horse experts of the army remount service. Dr. Mayo is manager of the veterinary and export departments of Abbott Laboratories, North Chicago, Illinois. He resides in Highland Park, Illinois, at 484 Sheridan place.

1889

Edward N. Pagelsen, Secretary,
889 Longfellow, Detroit.

F. N. Clark says that "Its always Jute in Miami." Clark is internal revenue agent under the United States treasury department located in Miami auditing income tax returns. P. O. box 7513 reaches him.

1891

W. O. Hedrick, Secretary,
220 Oakhill, East Lansing.

Willis A. Fox is a member of the faculty at Manchester College, North Manchester, Indiana, for the college year.

1895

Arthur C. MacKinnon, Secretary,
1214 Center St., Bay City.

M. G. Kains sends his blue slip from Suffern, New York, with the following: "Resigned editorship Your Home Magazine in July. Been writing for magazines since then. House Beautiful, The Field, Garden and Home Builder, McCall's, Colliers, Your Home, Better Homes and Gardens, Country Gentleman, Ladies' Home Journal, and others. Though at it only three months am doing much better than even my most rosy hopes. Peter V. Ross, '95, and I had

lunch together in June. This is the first time we have met since graduation in August 1895. A letter from him last week says he will not be lecturing or at least traveling for a year. So I presume he can be reached at his home address, Geary street, San Francisco. We were curious to know what has become of Heck, Lake, VanWormer, Frace, Veldhuis, Normington, and some of the others who successfully kept their deeds under cover, or at least out of THE RECORD. By the way, the names of places on the campus are strange to us older grads. The one that sticks in my crop is 'Forest of Arden.' Is that the old wood lot across the river or in the Arboretum. East Lansing being a city with banks, church, and all modern improvements sounds queer to me. I threshed out Dr. Beal's grass seeds in 1891 right where the city has developed."

William C. Bagley requests that his RECORD be sent to him at 456 Riverside drive, New York City. He adds: "The name of James H. Kimball, '95, has appeared frequently in the reports of the trans-Atlantic flights. Dr. Kimball has been connected with the U. S. Weather Bureau ever since leaving college. For years he has made a special study of oceanic weather conditions and is recognized as the leading authority in this field of meteorology. He is chief forecaster in the New York office of the Weather Bureau."

1901

Mark L. Ireland, Secretary,
317 A Pope Ave., Ft. Leavenworth, Kan.

George C. Humphrey writes on his blue slip: "Am still acting chairman of department of animal husbandry at the University of Wisconsin, and devoting time to extension research and some instructional work relating to dairy cattle and milk production. My older daughter, Carolyn Elizabeth, has completed her university course and training and is now occupying position of dietitian at Nichols Memorial hospital at Battle Creek, Michigan. George D. will complete a four year course in agriculture at Wisconsin next June. Sarah Katharine is specializing in music and was granted a teacher's certificate last June by the Wheeler Conservatory of Music of Madison."

1902

Norman B. Horton, Secretary,
Fruit Ridge, Mich.

H. L. Brunger writes: "Am with the Fairbanks-Morse company, in the manufacturing division. Our product includes gasoline engines, etc., but the larger portion of it consists of Deisel engines for all sorts of power purposes. As far as I know there are no other alumni here, but our latch string is always out for any who may be passing this way." Brunger lives in Beloit, Wisconsin, at 1316 Emerson street.

The NATION'S BUILDING STONE**1903****Edna V. Smith, Secretary,
East Lansing.**

The following is from R. Tower, 109 W. Fern street, Tampa, Florida: "Greenskeeper for Forest Hills Country club, Tampa. A B. L. Hamner development and the best golf course on the west coast of Florida. Come down this winter and we will prove it and show you a good time while doing it."

Lillah M. Haggerty is managing a cafeteria in Riverside, Illinois, and may be reached at 272 Addison road.

1909**Olive Graham Bennett, Secretary,
513 Forest Ave., East Lansing.**

W. H. Hartman lives at 1620 Frazer N. W., Canton, Ohio.

J. Harry Nelson's blue slip contains the following: "Still mayor of Bay City, Michigan, and superintendent of the Industrial works here. Also, director of Bay City Industrial Service company, and Bay County free fair, county supervisor, chairman of board of health, trustee of Sage library, advisory board of motor club, vice-president of boy scouts, secretary of Grotto club, president of the Grotto building association, editor of Grotto paper, and outside of that I'm at home for Saturday nights. Married? No! But I have hopes—of settling down some day and coking my feet higher than my head. Such is life. Regards to Frim, and let's knock the Michigan university team this year for a flock of circles.

1911**James G. Hays, Secretary,
213 Bailey St., East Lansing.**

R. S. Russell changed in August from the Reo to the Studebaker corporation, where he is chief draftsman in the bus chassis division. He lives in South Bend at 1010 Bellevue avenue.

G. P. Springer is located at Purdue University as assistant in the highway department of the civil engineering division, with some work in railways and transportation.

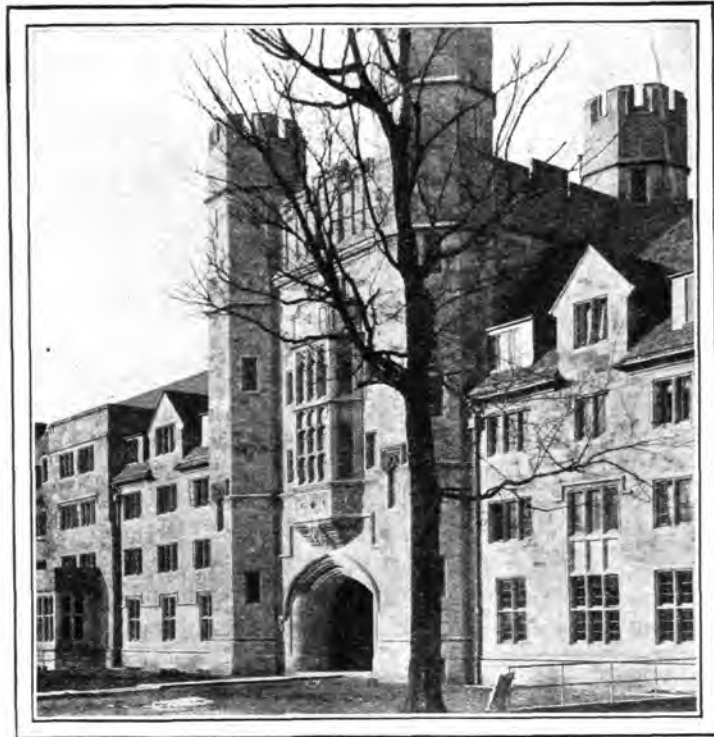
1912**C. V. Ballard, Secretary,
East Lansing, Mich.**

F. G. Brown should be addressed in Detroit at 1500 Cadillac Square building.

Edwin Smith, who has been spending the summer months visiting fruit producing districts in the United States, sailed August 25 with Mrs. Smith for London where he expects to be stationed for another year as European representative of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics as specialist in fruits and vegetables. Those traveling abroad may find Mr. and Mrs. Smith in care of the American Embassy, London.

1913**Robert E. Loree, Secretary,
East Lansing.**

R. R. Pailthrop has been placed in charge of the project of standardiza-



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tion and research in the fruit and vegetable division of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics. This project has recommended 47 different grades covering 37 horticultural products, most of which have been adopted by growers and shippers. This work has been of tremendous fundamental importance to American horticulture when it is realized that only a few years ago growers of fruits and vegetables were attempting to do a nation wide business with different grade specifications for each local fruit producing district.

Richard E. Bissell has been made a member of the Royal Aeronautical society of London. Bissell resides in Cleveland where as a mechanical engineer he has devoted much interest and study to aviation. Because of his scientific attainments along this line he has been honored with membership in the London society.

H. K. Wright requests that his mail be sent to him in care of the H. K. Mulford company, P. O. box 1404, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Francis Andrews sends his blue slip from 139 Dover street, LaGrange, Illinois, with the following notes: "Same job, engineer electrical transmission designer, Public Service company of Northern Illinois. I also have a job on the side, as chairman of the engineering section, Great Lakes division, National Electric Light association, which keeps me on my toes. Will be glad to see any Staters at 72 W. Adams street, Chicago.

1914

Henry L. Publow, Secretary,
East Lansing.

F. C. Gilbert gives his new address as 26 N. Howard avenue, Crosswell, Michigan.

Wallace Duhey is in charge of the building department for the James E. Atkinson-E. L. Deacon company, 1117 Book building, Detroit. He reports the birth on February 4, 1927, of Betty Jean.

Melvin A. Russell sends in his blue slip from 5710 W. Superior street, Chicago, Illinois, with the following: "Still with fruit and vegetable inspection service of U. S. Department of Agriculture. During a recent short stay in southern Illinois in connection with peach inspection, I happened to be reminded that O. C. Cobb, '14, is located at Anna, where he has been teaching agriculture in the community high school for several years. I got in touch with him and we spent a very pleasant hour together. He is married and has two children. Besides his teaching activities he has developed a peach orchard which will bear soon. He had a good peach crop this year when most growers in his vicinity had none or only a partial crop, which indicates there must be a lot in the old advice about selection of the proper site."

Harold L. Smith may be reached in care of the Louis Allis company, 133 Stewart street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

1915

Rolan W. Sleigh, Secretary,
Laingsburg, Mich.

George K. Fisher was recently elected to the principalship of the Pontiac township high school, Pontiac, Illinois. He reports that Arthur F. Speltz, '19, is to teach mathematics and science and assist in coaching with him in the same school.

1916

Herbert G. Cooper, Secretary,
1829 Moores River Drive, Lansing.

Glen Hacker is "selling men's and ladies' pure silk hosiery direct" as president and general manager of the Solid-silk Hosiery Company, Inc., 315 Fourth avenue, New York City. Hacker lives in Port Chester.

1917

Mary LaSelle, Secretary,
420 W. Hillsdale St., Lansing.

John Bregger writes from the Luther Burbank experiment farms, Sebastopol, California: "Since our firm (Stark Brothers Nurseries) has taken over Luther Burbank's unfinished experiments, I have been here in Sebastopol and Santa Rosa in charge of the work of making a survey of the many hundred new varieties (yet unintroduced) of fruit—also, other plants and ornamentals which will be saved and made available for the public at an early date as possible. There are a thousand new varieties of plums alone. Am finding this a wonderful part of the country to be in. Have had a visit from one M. S. C. man (and classmate) so far, Wilson Newlon."

M. V. Carmody's blue slip contains: "Superintendent of maintenance in Berrien county for the state highway department, Box 271, St. Joseph, Michigan. Took a trip east on vacation and visited Herb Abel at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. Visited Atlantic City with our families. Herb is a record breaker driver."

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gree in municipal engineering from Ames last spring. He has just started his fourth year at that college.

1918

**Willard Coulter, Secretary,
1265 Randolph, S. E., Grand Rapids.**

H. L. Froelich writes: "Still following the circuitous winding trail laid out by Dean Bissel with the aid of some 'simple harmonic motion.' Tool and fixture designer for A. C. Spark Plug company at Flint, Michigan. Living in the suburbs (Davison) with Mrs. Froelich (Bernita Weese, w'19) and two son shines—Leslie and Douglas, six and four. Running a radio business and service to lengthen the days and shorten the nights. Friends (enemies, if any, also) are invited to visit the Lyric Radio shop, Davison, Michigan."

1919

**Paul Howell, Secretary,
Carbondale, Ill.**

Martha Pratt is studying in the Teachers College at Columbia University. She may be reached at Seth Low Hall, 106 Morningside drive, New York City.

Stanley G. and Nellie Bandeen may be reached at Louisville, Kentucky, at 202 Linden Lane

Dr. Earle G. Baxter is consulting veterinarian for the National Rabbit federation. Baxter lives in Webster, New York, and reports that his family

consists of Betty 11, Harriett 7, and Thomas 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner C. Brockway (Gladys Gordon) announce the birth on July 24, 1927 of Gordon Warner. The Brockways live at 66 Lake avenue, Melrose, Boston, Massachusetts.

"The most important news from us is the announcement that to Winnifred Haywood Himebaugh and Harold H. Himebaugh a son, Paul Harold, was born January 22, 1927. We would be pleased to see any M. S. C. folks that pass our way. We are extending the invitation to make our place the stopping place for anyone going near here." The Himebaughs live in St. Louis, Missouri, at 3888 Utah place.

"So few M. S. C. people come to Philadelphia that I take a day off to celebrate whenever I see one," writes Newton L. Reed from 3929 Locust street.

1920

Stanley Powell, Secretary, Ionia, Mich.

Alfred J. Gregg was killed in an automobile accident at Mt. Clemens, Michigan, on December 25, 1926.

LolaBelle Green succeeds Harriet Wilder as state girls' club leader having taken up her duties at the College on July 1. The state staff of boys and girls' club leaders now numbers eight, including A. G. Kettenun, Miss Green, Sylvia Wixon, Ruth Featherly, O.

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Clarence Hiller has been promoted to the position of house principal at Detroit Northeastern high school. Mrs. Hiller (Cleta Coverdale, '21) is teaching household art in the Highland Park high school. The Hillers live in Detroit at 18255 Midland.

Stanley Powell sends this note: "Since my marriage May 27, 1927, I have been located on the old homestead, Ingleside Farm, at Ionia, Michigan. This is a farm settled by my grandparents about 80 years ago. Father was born here and has actively managed it for 40 years, but turned it over to me when he accepted an appointment as state commissioner of agriculture."

Elmer R. Unruh has moved in Muncie, Indiana, to 304 Greenwood avenue.

Mrs. Edna Kidd Willbee should be addressed at 1914 Mt. Robles place, San Marino, via Pasadena, California.

1921

**Maurice Rann, Secretary,
1409 Osborn Road, Lansing.**

Loren Sheed gives his new address as 6753 Vinewood avenue, Detroit.

Wayne Crampton has abandoned the teaching game and is now county agricultural agent for Manistee county. His headquarters are in the Federal building at Manistee, Michigan.

Edwin W. Carlson is a field engineer for the Sandusky Cement company at Cleveland, Ohio.

Experiment Station, Auburn, Alabama, reaches George L. Fick.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Steel (Dorothy Cowin) announce the birth of Laura Emily on June 15, 1927. The Steels live in Grand Rapids at 609 Logan street, S. E.

Verne L. Harris has recently organized a Masonic cemetery in Philadelphia and is busy directing sales and landscaping the cemetery. 1512 Walnut street, Philadelphia, reaches him and Dorothy Thorburn Harris.

H. J. Kurtz requests us to change his address to 422 M. A. C. avenue, East Lansing.

1927

**Eleanor Rainey, Secretary,
616 Grand River W., Howell.**

Doris Chilson Hubbard is living in Lynn, Massachusetts, at 1 West Baltimore Terrace.

Selden Cray may be reached at 822 State street, Schenectady, New York.

Mabel Lucas is teaching mathematics in Prairie View college, Prairie View, Texas. This school is one of the largest land grant colleges for negroes in the country.

Donald Oliver is working for the United States Forest service, with headquarters at Petersburg, West Virginia.

Stanley Hartsell gives his address as Box 1441, Yale station, New Haven, Connecticut.

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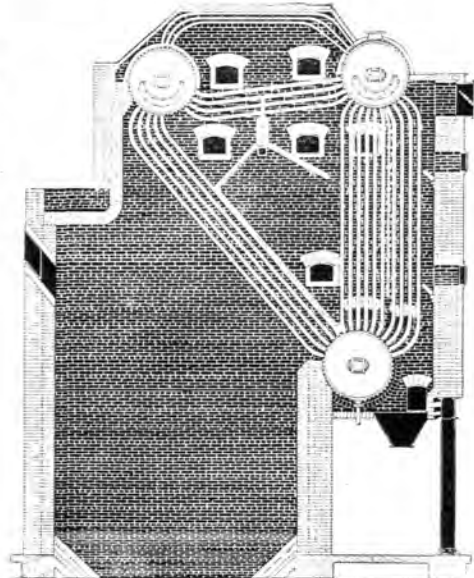
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