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**President Emeritus Thompson** of Ohio State tells a story about a student who was taking an exam. He couldn't answer the last question. He thought that the professor was a pretty good friend of his, so he wrote "Only God could answer that question. Merry Christmas." The professor wrote back "God gets a hundred; you get zero. Happy New Year."

**Students** at the University of California last year earned a total of more than a million dollars while taking their course. Seventy-five per cent, five thousand, of the students are partially or totally self-supporting.

**The Minnesota Daily** recently commented on the restlessness of youth as follows: "The youth of today is no more restless than his father; he has a period in which to study and a period in which to play. He requires less time to learn; he studies more intensively. Life is not a serious game to him. The future of education is safe in his hands. "Outsides of an educational institution will find the task of forcing the students to stay on the campus over the week-end a very distasteful and perplexing one."

**Dr. Harry W. Chase,** president of the University of North Carolina, has accepted the presidency of the University of Illinois. Dr. David Kinley who retires at the end of the present academic year is sixty-eight years old. He has been president for the last ten years.

**The** degree of doctor of science was conferred on Thomas Alva Edison at the convocation day exercises at Rollins College, Winter Park, Florida, February 14.

**The fifth annual meeting of the American Association for Adult Education** will be held in Chicago on May 12, 13, 14 and 15, at the Edgewater Beach hotel. Plans for the program include a discussion of rural education, alumni education, art in American life and radio education.

**Believe it or not,** as friend Ripley might say, baseball is possible in Michigan as early as February 21. On that particular date Coach John Kobs chased his Spartan diamond squad out into the open spaces for the first time this season. A long fly chaser, a brief warmup for the infielders first day he had a sweat bath beneath the beaming February sun. It was all in anticipation of that Southern trip during spring vacation.

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**IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR CHICAGO AND MILWAUKEE ALUMNI**

April 3, 6:30—Milwaukee alumni club dinner meeting at "The Old Manse," 100 Prospect avenue, Milwaukee. Coach James Crowley and Secretary Stewart, speakers.

April 4, 6:30—Chicago alumni club annual dinner dance, Medinah Athletic club, North Michigan avenue. Speakers, Dean Marie Dye, Coach James Crowley and Secretary Stewart.
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Nominees as Presented by the Nominating Committees, After Careful Consideration

THE DECEMBER issue of the RECORD carried the announcement that President MacKinnon of the M. S. C. Association had appointed two nominating committees for the purpose of naming candidates whose names are to appear on the Association ballot this spring.

L. P. Dendel, '14, and Leland N. Jones, '20, acting as chairmen of groups 1 and 2, report to the alumni office that their committees after careful investigation have selected slates that represent the best interests of the alumni of the College. Both committees report keen disappointment in the retirement of A. C. MacKinnon, '95, and G. Verne Branch, '12, from the offices of president and vice-president, respectively. Mr. MacKinnon will be retained on the executive committee, ex-officio, as a past president, while Mr. Branch wishes to withdraw entirely because of his business relationships. He will continue to represent the alumni on the athletic council.

On May 1 ballots will be mailed to all members of the association in good standing and up to ten days before that date it will be possible for any group of twenty active members to add names to the ballot. Otherwise, the only names appearing will be those listed above. Members in good standing are those whose dues are paid to July 1 of this year.
The WHAT and WHY of the Student Aid Fund

Affected Over Two Hundred Beneficiaries In Twenty Years

The story of the Women’s Student Aid fund at Michigan State college should begin in the year 1909, with the gift of fifty dollars from Mrs. James M. Turner, of Lansing. A young orphan girl from the Bay City Home had been sent to the college as a sub-freshman by a former teacher in the home economics department. However, in the middle of the year 1908-1909, this teacher found that she could no longer take care of the girl’s expenses. When the case was presented to Mrs. Turner, she most generously responded and her return of the money expected. We are sure that this girl’s stay at “M. A. C.” helped to make her a more useful woman and a wiser citizen.

Every now and then, in those days, some student dropped out for lack of money or suffered undeserved hardship, as, unfortunately, students do today. Small private loans were frequently made to enable a girl to pay her term-end bills or to buy her ticket home. On one occasion a student from another state asked the dean of women for a loan of about twenty-five dollars in order to pay railroad fare and the balance on her Club C bill. Some of you may not know that “Club C” means the “Woman’s Commons” of today. She confessed that she had bought a spring dress with the last money sent from home and hoped to the end of the term that her father would send her another check. Apparently this father did not approve of spring dresses. About a year later she returned ten dollars of the loan and about five years later she wrote announcing her marriage and expressing the hope of paying the balance very soon. And very soon she did pay it.

On another occasion a girl rushed to the dean’s office saying she needed fifty-nine cents to get a ticket home! Somehow, this brings to mind a picture of the crowded Grand Trunk station one wintry morning when teachers and students, starting on their Christmas vacation, made up a purse to buy tickets for “the dean” and her sister, “Miss Norma,” while these two were trying to get the College by telephone. The west-bound train was in sight down the track, but money intended for tickets was safe in the Woman’s building. However, that is another story.

Although the matter of a loan fund had often been talked of by members of the College Woman’s club, its first action was taken in December, 1910. One of the outstanding students of that year, who was working her way through, knew that she must leave unless she could secure a loan of fifty dollars, or more, during the remainder of the year. Accordingly, the Woman’s club voted that twenty-five dollars be given to the dean of the home economics division as a “relief fund” for this student. A note of thanks from this young woman, read to the club in January, 1911, acknowledged receipt of this amount. According to the minutes the club then voted another twenty-five dollars to be given to the student “to use as she sees best.” This amount was loaned to the same young woman in June of that year, as shown by the books of Mr. J. Schepers, treasurer of the fund. These books show also that she returned the entire amount, with interest, two or three years later.

New Co-ed Dormitory

Preliminary plans for the construction of a $400,000 woman’s dormitory were approved at the regular February meeting of the State Board of Agriculture and the finance and building committees were authorized to proceed at once on the undertaking. Work on the building is expected to start this summer. The new building will provide accommodations for 180 women. The site selected is the area between the new U. S. weather bureau and the music center, probably near the location where Professor Pettis’s residence once stood. Lately this area has been used as a picnic ground.

The financing plans will be in the hands of a prominent Detroit business concern. A bond issue will be floated for the amount of the fund, and the amortization of the bond issue handled by the income from the dormitory quarters, thus making the scheme self-supporting. The plan presupposes the ownership of real estate for site. It has been estimated that rentals would be kept to a maximum of $4.50 per week.

The architectural plans are also being worked out with a Detroit firm, Maloomson & Higginbotham. The dormitory will be erected in two units. The addition of the new building to the dormitories already on the campus will relieve the housing shortage which has become so acutely felt here during the past two years. It will furnish accommodations for a much larger percentage of freshmen co-eds who are required to live in college supervised houses off the campus.

The members of the building committee named were L. Whitney Watkins, J. R. McColl, and Clark L. Brody. The personnel of the finance committee is composed of M. B. McPherson, W. H. Berkey and Mrs. Dora Stockman.
Michigan Master Farmers Rated Rural Leaders

Seven Alumni of College Selected by Committees In Early Groups

If you can make your farm yield from fifty to two hundred per cent above the average state yield for that type of farm; if your rural home compares favorably in convenience with city dwellings; and if you are an exemplary husband and father—then you may stand a chance of becoming one of Michigan's master farmers.

All these attributes belong to the state's present forty-one master farmers. Every one of these men, selected annually by a Michigan farm paper, has to have them to qualify for the honor of this title; but every one of them, too, has to have countless other qualities going to make for better farm standards and methods.

All of them, for instance, have well worked-out soil-building programs; every one of them is interested in his community enterprises, and in local and national governments; and all cooperate with Michigan State college extension departments.

Bert Wermuth, a graduate of the class of 1902, and founder of the master farmer movement, defines the man who is a master farmer as follows: "First of all, he is one who has made a financial success of his farming. Besides, his buildings and fences are adequate and kept in good repair, and his yards and fields are neat and reasonably free from weeds and rubbish. His family is provided with a well-planned home having modern appointments and his children are given educational advantages. Also he takes a leading part in community activities and is always interested in public affairs."

Score-card Used by Judges

These objectives find their expression in the score-card by which applicants for the title are scored. Five main points for consideration are listed, and score, in a possible one thousand points, as follows: operation of farm, 320 points; business methods and ability, 150 points; general farm appearance and upkeep, 90 points; home life, 300 points; and citizenship, 140 points.

Each of these main scoring headings is divided into sub-points; and of these the judges consider the candidate's character as a husband and father, which counts for one hundred points, most important of all single qualities. Qualities which follow this, with a rating of seventy-five points, are the maintenance of soil fertility, the relation of income to expenses, the use of labor-saving equipment in the home, and the education and training of children. General business reputation, and a convenient farm home score fifty points; and other items on the score card, crop rotation, seed used, quality of livestock, feeding and care of livestock, efficient use of man and horse labor, adequate tools, with machinery and equipment well housed and repaired, convenience of farm arrangement, the accounting methods used, neighborhood, and interest in community enterprises, score between thirty and forty points.

To become a master farmer, in the first place, a man has to have the respect and admiration of his community, for a neighbor must nominate him for the title.

Then investigators go out and search his record on the points considered in scoring. Friends are interviewed, and bankers, and county agents. His farm is inspected, and the twenty-four subdivisions are carefully checked with regard to his work, family and character.

Master Farmers Number 42

By this method forty-two Michigan farmers have been selected as outstanding leaders in the field of agriculture, and have been awarded the badge of the Master Farmer. Twenty-five counties have contributed men to their ranks; with Montcalm leading with five master farmers: Fred W. Johnson, whose specialty is potato growing; E. W. Lincoln, a certified potato seed grower; and Ray, Manning and Clare F. Rossman, who also grow certified potato seed, wheat, and some livestock. Other counties claiming one or more master farmers are Branch, Allegan, Berrien, Eaton, Wayne, Hillsdale, Shiawassee, Monroe, Mecosta, Ingham, Clinton, Lenawee, Chippewa, Jackson, Mason, Gogebic, Huron, Gratiot, Kent, Bay, Tuscola, Genesee, Benzie, and Menominee.

These forty-two premier farmers of the state are in close touch and cooperation with the State College extension department at all times.

Appreciate Scientific Experiments

"No one," says Bert Wermuth, "appreciates more than do the Master Farmers the contribution scientists have made to agriculture. And on the other hand, no group is more interested in this movement than investigators and experimenters in the field of agriculture."

"It is not by accident that these good farmers follow practices advocated by the men of our experiment stations. That same intelligent judgment which has made these men Master Farmers also has sent them to every available source of information for suggestions on how best to conduct their business. It is most natural that they have advised, and that frequently, with the agricultural college and experiment station men and with the extension forces.

"The efforts of Master Farmers and the agricultural scientist supplement each other. To learn the influence of a certain fertilizer on a crop, the true scientist eliminates the possibility of any other factor entering into his calculations. While the good farmer not only fits that fertilizer into the program of growing that particular crop, but he adapts it to his whole crop rotation, his livestock projects, and perhaps even to his mode of life. Thus, to our scientists, the Master Farmer becomes the court of last resort in determining the value of his agricultural experiment investigation."

Seven Alumni in Group

This cooperation and interest in the extension work of the College gains impetus, perhaps, through the fact that (Continued on Next Page)
SPARTAN CLUBS MEET

ROCHESTER, NEW YORK

CARL “BUNNY” L. WARREN, '18, was elected president of the Western New York State group Tuesday evening, February 18, at the first meeting held in recent years, when Secretary Stewart took his flying trip to a few eastern points. The gathering was not a large one due to the fact that the number of Staters in Rochester is comparatively small and also because the time of notifying the people was very short and many had previous engagements.

Following a very fine dinner at the Seneca hotel, C. N. Silcox, '18, of Syracuse, acting as chairman, introduced Secretary Stewart. His remarks were confined to bringing the latest news from the campus and to enlarging upon the three-year alumni program which the M. S. C. association is sponsoring.

Inasmuch as Assistant Coach Glen (Judge) Carberry, is a resident of Rochester, he was asked to attend and in his absence, it was decided the importance of having an enthusiastic alumni association, because, he said, “It is the spirit within or behind an organization or team that makes it function, and it is the alumni of M. S. C. who can help to make it what it will be tomorrow.”

The evening was spent largely in reminiscing on former campus pranks, reviving the old State spirit and general good fellowship. It was agreed by common consent that more such reveling should be encouraged and continued in western New York state by this enthusiastic, yet embryo nucleus.

Besides Mr. Warren who will act as president the other officers chosen were David Blair, '17, vice-president, and John D. Walker, '22, of Batavia, secretary-treasurer.

Crowley Popular Talker

DURING the spring vacation many alumni, former students and future students will hear Coach “Jim” Crowley when he attends the annual dinners of the Milwaukee and Chicago alumni clubs with President MacKinnon and Secretary Stewart. Milwaukee alumni will meet at "The Old Manse," 100 Prospect avenue, Milwaukee at 6:30, Thursday evening, April 3. All State men and women are urged to attend the big dinner-dance of the Chicago district at the Medinah Athletic club, N. Michigan avenue, at 6:30, Friday evening, April 4.

PITTSBURGH, PA.

A SMALL but enthusiastic group of Michigan State men met at the Hotel Rec in Pittsburgh Wednesday evening, February 19, on the occasion of Secretary Stewart’s visit to several eastern clubs.

While dinner was served, everyone enjoyed the fellowship of old college chums and newcomers in the city. George D. Francisco, '02, acting as chairman, called on Secretary Stewart to review the recent developments at Michigan State both with respect to student activities and physical changes on the Campus.

At the conclusion of Secretary Stewart's remarks each man told something of his career since leaving college. H. Roy Kingsley, '04, gave a long description with many interesting stories on his adventures that kept him in the Orient nearly twelve years since graduation. While his home is still in Chicago, he is at present resident engineer of the Lockwood Greene Engineers Inc., of New York City. He is building a large building for the Firestone Tire & Rubber company of Akron, and when completed will house the service department for the Pittsburgh area, with Clyde J. Olin, '28, as manager.

S. D. Semenow, '16, who arranged for the banquet, reported about 35 men in attendance.

CLEVELAND CLUB

TWENTY-FIVE alumni, former students and friends of the Cleveland club banqueted at the Rainbow Gardens in the Winton hotel, Saturday evening, February 22. Dinner-dance music by George Williams famous broadcasting orchestra led special color to the event.

After adjourning to a special private room a short business meeting was held with Paul Hartsuch, '24, acting as chairman. L. L. Appleyard, '00, was elected president and Mrs. Amy Gumm Pearis, '17, secretary-treasurer.

Secretary Glenn Stewart, who was returning from the Washington meeting, was present, as was the executive board of the club and used a subject that might be termed "Campus High Lights". It was a "honey" kind of a message—one that emphasized the human side of the College. Another thought he left with the Cleveland group was that less than 50% of the members of the alumni associations actively support the Michigan State college and has done much to aid the College extension department in his district.

Another notable M. S. C. graduate of the group is Floyd M. Barden, '08, of Allegan county, who was chosen Master Farmer in 1926. His is a one hundred per cent efficient farm family, for Mrs. Barden, also an M. S. C. graduate, was chosen as one of the Master Farm Homemakers for Michigan last summer.

M. B. Cook, '93, of Shiawassee county, a former master of the Michigan State Grange, is another former M. S. C. student who achieved the rank of Master Farmer in the 1926 group.

C. S. Langdon, '11, of Clinton county, proved his worth as a farmer, when, during the recent agricultural depression, he made his 280 acre farm pay more than six per cent on a reasonable valuation of its worth. C. R. Oviatt, '16, of Bay county, operates 135 acres where sheep and sugar beets are the chief products. He has been recently engaged by the Michigan State college to promote sugar beet interests in the state.

1927 saw the other two M. S. C. alumni Master Farmers join the group. This year J. P. Munson, w'00, of Kent county, a notable fruit grower, was chosen as were Clare Rossman, '17, and his brothers, Roy and Manning, who have contributed much to the improvement of potatoes in the state and are growers of certified seed.

MICHIGAN MASTER FARMERS (Continued from Preceding Page)

seven of the Master Farmers in this state are alumni of the institution; and learned a great many of their methods on the College farms at East Lansing. The first ten men to become Michigan Master Farmers were chosen in 1926. Five of these members were M. S. C. alumni.

Garfield Parley, of Albion, who, with his brother, Minard, is one of Michigan's most successful fruit farmers, and who is very active in local and state farm organizations and has given special attention to crop in farm pay work, is a former special student of Michigan State college and has done much to aid the College extension department in his district.

As we go to press “Eddie” Krehl, president of the Detroit club wires that all alumni are urged to turn out Saturday night, March 29, at the Cadillac Athletic club to see the M. A. C. basketball team of 13 years ago (Frimodig, Blake Miller, Dutch Miller, and others) battle the old Detroit Y. M. C. A. team of the same period. Mark the date, speak to the lady, and GO!
Those who receive ballots in the forthcoming election of officers of the M. S. C. Association must have their dues paid through June 1930.

Alpha Chi Sigma, national professional fraternity, has taken over for its local chapter the former Trimoira house on the corner of M. A. C. and Grand River avenues. The house is being renovated and furnished.

Harold Hannah, Grand Rapids, president of the student council, and Leland Cribbs, of East Lansing, have been chosen as delegates to the annual mid-west student council convention to be held early in the spring at Atlanta, Georgia.

R. H. Pettit, head of the entomology department, and G. S. Tolles, also of the entomology department, represented the College at a meeting of the Association of Entomologists of the north central states held at Purdue university March 5 and 6.

About 200 agricultural students attended the annual "All Ag" banquet held in the Union, February 25. All the food served was produced by the College. The dairy department furnished the milk, cream and ice cream; the animal husbandry department supplied tender young beef; potatoes came from the stock of the farm crops department's certified seed, and the salad was made from ingredients furnished by the horticultural department.

The College affirmative debate team won an audience decision over Albion college in a forensic contest held in Leslie high school, Friday, February 28. Spartan speakers were Joseph Kidder, Lansing; Howard Carroll, St. Johns; and Richard Hutchinson, East Lansing. State upheld the affirmative of the motion.

A surprising amount of energy has been developed by the Red Cedar under the impetus of melting ice and rain. The calm guardian of the Campus broke bounds and covered the old athletic field for several days, but is now slowly receding.

Charles (Chuck) Basset, w'22, has made a name for himself in his first year as a college basketball coach. Word has been received here that Basset piloted the famous University of Arkansas team to its fifth consecutive championship of the southwest conference.

Arkansas lost three regulars of the 1929 champions and Basset was forced to build a new combination. In view of this handicap, Basset's work was all the more praiseworthy.

The Lansing State Journal of March 6, contained the following: "Dr. E. F. Gardner, '05, director of the Michigan Experimental station at East Lansing, is a member of a committee working on plans for the exhibit on agriculture at the Chicago World's Fair to be held in 1933. Professor Gardner's work is part of a program being carried on by 400 or more scientists throughout the country to prepare a science theme for the fair which is being held to commemorate a century of progress, beginning in 1833, the year in which Chicago became a city."

Excellent public support of the Alumnae League in raising funds for the completion of the women's lounge in the Union building was evidenced in the large number of tickets sold. The play, "So's Your Aunt Anna," given in the Little Theatre Monday evening, February 24. A second performance was repeated on Thursday evening to accommodate those unable to attend the first showing.

The play, directed by Mrs. Harold Huntley, '24, was a clever little skit with the close of the show worked around the giving of an expensive Oriental rug to the holder of the choice number. Miss Dorothy Hanigan, '23, a teacher in the Merrill Palmer school of Detroit, won the rug. The funds of the League were increased materially from the loyal support given the project not only by local alumnae but by those who remitted from distant points through the mails.

Those who took part in the play were as follows: Mrs. Thomas Gunson, '12; Mrs. Bert McComb, '22; Miss Jilla King, '27; Miss Norma Schmitt, '27; Mrs. William Atchison, '17; Miss Verna Church, '28, and Sara Olsen Coolidge, '24.

Have you heard from your class secretary about the plans for June 21?


Alumni Day, Saturday, June 21, will find many of your classmates on the Campus. Don't miss this chance of seeing them.

The Campus shivered when March approached with zero weather, but was comforted by the thought that such temperature is more fitting in March than it is in May.

The next two weeks promise to be the customary full seasons of study for those who fail to heed the advice of their instructors and fall behind in class work. Final examinations for the winter term start March 24.

Lt. Col. Sherburne, formerly commandant and professor of military science and tactics at the College, has been ordered to the 10th Cavalry at Ft. Huachuca, Arizona, according to the Army and Navy Journal of March 1. Colonel Sherburne will soon graduate from the Army War college at Washington, D. C. and has been directed to sail from New York for San Francisco July 10.

Winter was as loath to leave the Campus as a senior at commencement time. The snow covered landscape was of sufficient charm to offset the slight physical discomfort caused by the heaped snowdrifts, and when it went it left behind a sense of something lost. This lack is soon forgotten when the buds begin to drop their coverings. It is a beautiful season whose contrast serves to heighten the splendor of spring.

Life on the Campus may seem tame now to what the old-timer sees in retrospect but there are certain compensations for this state of affairs. A recent initiation of twenty advanced military science students into Scabbard and Blade, national honorary military fraternity, contributed an unusually heavy portion of the noise associated with the dormitories of by-gone days. The "soldiers" encountered some difficulty in capturing the college grounds, but finally succeeded after firing several volleys of shots and maintaining strict surveillance over the entire area. Everyone who crossed the Campus was challenged and many were fired upon much to the distress of peace-loving citizens.
Radio Expansion Urged

Plans for expansion in the broadcasting for station WKAR at the College will be possible after May 1 according to an announcement made recently by R. J. Baldwin, '04, director of extension work. Mr. Baldwin and J. B. Hasselman have conferred with members of the engineering staff of the federal radio commission in Washington, D. C. on this matter.

The understanding following their trip East is that WKAR will be permitted to broadcast from sunrise here until sundown in Denver, Colo., on a wave length of 830 kilocycles, or 316 meters, at a power of 1,000 watts, under an arrangement which is expected to be completed by May 1.

This preferred broadcasting position will greatly enlarge the scope of the College station’s activity. The time extension will permit broadcasting until about one and one-half hours after sundown in East Lansing.

Both Mr. Baldwin and Mr. Hasselman are optimistic over the prospects of longer evening broadcasts and have started outlining plans for an extensive radio agricultural school, with numerous talks by College experts in addition to the present market reports and weather forecasts which are broadcast each noon. The present wave length is 1040 kilocycles, or 383.3 meters.

GYMNASIUM GOSSIP

Five members of the basketball team completed three years of competition this season. The famous combination that Van Alstyne has been working with will graduate. Den Herder, the center, Capt. Van Zylen and Don Grove, forwards, and Henry Schau and Russell Sheathelm, guards, will pass out of the picture.

Coach Carl Felt has some capable freshmen, although the prospects for a big winner next year are not very bright. It appears that next season will see construction work under way.

Lyman Frimodig represented the college at Columbia, Missouri, at the dedication of the Chester L. Brewer Field house, University of Missouri. That’s what they think of Mr. Brewer out there. He will be remembered as a former director of athletics at State.

Only one team beat State in basketball and got away with it. Syracuse was played in only one game and the Orange win. Notre Dame, Marquette and Bethany beat State but were defeated in return engagements.


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Coach John Kobs has his baseball men drilling every day. The annual southern trip will start March 29 and last 10 days. Games with Vanderbilt, Cincinnati, St. Xavier have been arranged. Others, further south, are pending. Kobs thinks he has a sophomore pitching sensation in Charley Griffin, a little left hander. Max Crall, veteran first sacker, is recovering from an appendicitis operation. There will be a new second baseman and shortstop this season.

Here’s some good news. Michigan will play State twice at East Lansing this year. One of the games falls on Memorial Day afternoon. The other one will be staged during commencement week, probably Alumni Day, June 21. State will appear at Ann Arbor for a game earlier in the season. Coach Ray Fisher and Coach Kobs hatched the series up again and it certainly is commendable. It will be remembered State went to Michigan twice last year. Fisher returns the compliment this season.
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MICHIGAN hasn’t trimmed State in basketball since 1927. The Spartan and Wolverines have been playing on an almost even basis in baseball for four years.

The track season indoors was not so successful as in recent years. Loss of two potential winners, Crisswell in the sprints and Chamberlain in the mile, through scholastic ineligibility upset the plans. “Mike” Casteel, Coach Young’s assistant, has delivered some good hurdlers in Russell, Yarger and Russow, and a good pole vaulter to take the departed McAfee’s place in Bob Olson. Olson has hit 12 feet 6 inches. There should be more strength outdoors this spring.

Look over the nominees for association officers. Be ready to cast your ballot early in May.

Student politics will come to final decision when the annual elections take place on March 20. Important Campus offices will be filled at that time.

FORREST LANG, 29, and Helen DeKleine were married December 31, 1929, in East Lansing. They will make their home at 121 Mifflin avenue, Lansing. Lang is office manager at the Franklin DeKleine Printing company.

EDWARD G. O’ROURKE, W’29, and Vera Nestle were married in the Peoples church at East Lansing, December 28, 1929. They are making their home in Saginaw where O’Rourke is with the Consumer’s Power company.

CHARLES LAVIS, ’25, and Ann Elizabeth Connor were married in Fort Collins, Colorado, on January 2, 1930. They are making their home in Fort Collins where Lavis is with the government experiment service working on sugar beets.

WESLEY F. MALLOCK, ’21, and Phyllis M. McCrea of Kenora, Ontario, were married September 18, 1929. They are living in Wilmington, Delaware at 1508 Delaware avenue. Mallock is assistant control manager of the fabrics and finishes department of the E. I. duPont de Nemours and company, Inc., at Wilmington.
WON 12, and lost 4 and everybody is happy.

There you have the record of the basketball team and the campus attitude concerning the Spartans' court performance during the 1929-30 season. Only unlimited praise has been accorded the squad and its earny coach, Ben F. Van Alstyne.

For the fourth consecutive year "Van" has produced a real winner for State. When he came to East Lansing pleasant things began to happen in basketball and it looks as though he will keep up the good work.

The February campaign resulted in some spectacular performances. The Spartans commenced their victorious march for the month by taking Kalamazoo in tow. 32 to 12. Kalamazoo won the M. I. A. A. championship this year, losing only one game in the race. State's superiority may be judged by the score they ran up and the fact that Coach Van Alstyne used his reserves for about half the game. The Hornets just couldn't get anywhere with their attack and were unable to keep tab on the speeding Spartans when State had the ball.

The Big Week

Then came the big week of the schedule. Three games within five days—and State won them all. First came Bethany college of West Virginia. It will be remembered that earlier in the season at Bethany, the little mountain school took the measure of State by a 37 to 26 score. When they appeared here State was determined to avenge that loss. The game was a thrilling exhibition of the season, second only to the battle with Michigan. The Spartans had to come from behind to win. Bethany had a wonderful machine, one that can be favorably compared with any seen here in recent years, and it took everything State had to win. But they finally went ahead of their visitors near the end of the game and won, 36 to 32.

Next came Oberlin. Usually the Ohio institution has a strong combination, but this year they were not rated so high and Coach Van Alstyne took advantage of the opportunity to use his reserves as much as possible, finally winning out 24 to 10. Oberlin made only two field goals. Having played with their attack and were unable to concede an edge to the Wolverines. It looked as though defeat was in the wind. But they had not reckoned with that fighting bunch of lightweights that Van Alstyne had on the floor.

Suddenly they began to set a sizzling pace, dribbling at a dazzling pace, pivoting like fury and shooting with all the accuracy of marksmen. With 10 minutes gone big Joe Truskowski, the Michigan center, was taken from the game on personal fouls. He had been hammering the State players pretty thoroughly and getting four pivot-shot baskets that kept the Wolverines ahead. When he went out State sailed in and battled their opponents in a finish fight.

It is difficult to single out any one player in the game for special mention but in this instance, it is no more than fair to say that Roger Grove proved the winning factor. It was his work of getting four field goals late in the game that decided the issue. Fred Den Herder, the center, also made one at an important moment, and his brains, fight and courage of Roger Grove stood out clearly above all. It was his goal from near the foul circle that won the game. He was driving under the Michigan basket with power that won.

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With two minutes of play remaining, Weiss, of Michigan, batted in a shot and sent the Wolverines ahead, 26-25. The crowd refused to be down-hearted. A roar went up and Roger Grove delivered, for he got the ball from a jump and, wheeling in his tracks let it fly through the hoop. The gun cracked about 15 seconds later.

Show Stump at Season End

The State team had played its last good basketball of the season. It had hit the mark aimed at all season in winning the three games this week. It bowed to Notre Dame at South Bend, 29 to 17. The game was played the glorious fashion and sent nearly 6,000 spectators into a wild demonstration of joy. The big hall was packed, although Lyman Frimodig estimated he might have collected more gate receipts if a new court would be constructed, Michigan was invited to help dedicate it and the only date the Wolverines could accept was February 15. Coach Van Alstyne risked his chances of winning rather than let the game slip through his fingers.

Michigan Game a Thriller

So long as basketball is played on the campus, the Michigan game will be talked over by those who saw it played. There may have been games equally as thrilling but those who witnessed this one, and there were plenty of the old boys back, too, were unanimously agreed that a team wearing the Green and White never fought any harder. When they emerged with a 27 to 26 victory, they capped the season off in of play to finish the contest in which the lead was changing hands almost every minute.

The Last Ten Minutes

Van Alstyne's team went right after the Wolverines, singling up points until they had 10. Michigan had collected four in the meantime and then gradually closed in until they tied the score at 10 all. Here they went ahead and were out in front 17 to 13 at halftime. When they opened it to 19-13 soon after the second half started, the Spartans' cheering section began to concede an edge to the Wolverines. It looked as though defeat was in the wind. But they had not reckoned with that fighting bunch of lightweights that Van Alstyne had on the floor.

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next Tuesday and the players were still so weary that they did not begin to look like themselves although Notre Dame was vastly improved and a real team.

Then Hillsdale polished off the home season by taking a 34 to 28 defeat from State. The Spartans, while winning, were not the same team. They went to Milwaukee and lost over there to Marquette by a 21 to 14 score, the lowest number of points a Van Alstyne coached machine has made in four years. The let-down was terrific after the Michigan game. No amount of coaching seemed to bring the club to its former degree of efficiency. But complete satisfaction was expressed over the season.

The team scored 450 points to opponents’ 343. This total is slightly less than in former years but may be accounted for by the different style of basketball that is necessary on the larger Demonstration hall court. Roger Grove was the individual high scorer with 93 points to his credit.

SPARTAN CLUBS MEET

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the future and that everyone should be a part of the organized alumni group.

Several hours were spent in pleasant social intercourse and bridge.—Secretary.

WASHINGTON, D. C. CLUB

THE WASHINGTON, D. C. branch of the M. S. C. Alumni association enjoyed their thirtieth annual banquet February 21 at the Dodge hotel. Dayton Gurney, ’04, president of the local club, presided at the meeting. Dr. W. O. Hedrick of the college was with us, giving an interesting talk on, “Our College, Past and Present.” Glen Stewart, alumni secretary, brought us up-to-date on alumni policies and outlined for us the plan contemplated for sending the M. S. C. Record regularly to every alumnus.

An additional feature of the meeting was the roll call. Each person responded by telling a college anecdote. Officers for the coming year were elected as follows: President, C. G. Woodbury, ’04; vice President, C. P. Close, ’95; secretary-treasurer, Florence L. Hall, ’09.

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Peterson and College songs completed the program.

In the brief business meeting a nominating committee presented two slates and the election resulted in naming the following officers for the ensuing year: president, Wm. E. Jacobs, '23; vice-president, E. V. Sayles, 21; secretary-treasurer, Carl Topping, '23. At the conclusion of the program dancing and college reminiscences held sway over heavy business humdrum.

ANN ARBOR CLUB

Alumni and former students in the vicinity of Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti held a very interesting dinner party at the Michigan League building, Saturday evening, March 1. Victor Whittenmore and O. E. Stricklen were the promoters and all present stated that they wanted more meetings of this nature.

The following people were present: Mr. and Mrs. H. Osgood, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Burt, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Killins, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Stricklin, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baird, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Morris K. McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar R. Beal, Thomas L. Hankenson, Dorothy Stevenson, and V. I. Whittemore.

On the Job Again

After being seriously injured in an automobile accident in Buffalo last fall while attending a registrar's meet-

ing, Miss Elida Yakeley spent many long weeks in the hospital and at her apartment in East Lansing. Recently, however, she has improved sufficiently to confer with her staff and take her part in revising the courses of study.

SIMPSON-LADD

Justin A. Simpson, '26, and Mary Elizabeth Ladd, '29, were married June 29, 1929. They are living on a farm south of Augusta, Michigan, on route number 2.

Plan now to attend Alumni Day. The date is June 21.
America. Next spring I lecture in Great Britain and on the continent of Europe.

1898

D. A. Seeley, Secretary

East Lansing, Mich.

T. L. Hankinson is professor of zoology at the Michigan State Normal college, Ypsilanti.


Jennette Carpenter Wheeler sends her blue slip from 2731 Benvenue avenue, Berkeley, California, and notes: "I have recently been in touch with Edith McDermott Lawrence who lives in San Fernando. She was the first dean of women at M. A. C."

1900

Bertie Maloney, Secretary

81 Waverly Ave., Hicklund Park, Mich.

Lt. Col. John R. Thompson may be reached at 1901 D street N. W., Washington, D. C.

1903

Edna V. Smith, Secretary

H. M. Eaton is manager of the W. E. Moss & Company, investment bankers, Detroit. He lives at 2070 Longfellow.

1906

L. O. Gordon, Secretary


A. S. Armstrong gives his address as 1651 Estes avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

L. O. Gordon has moved to R. 2, North Muskegon, Michigan.

T. E. Jarrard is general sales director for the Marmon Motor Car company at Indianapolis. He lives there at the Marrott Hotel.

R. Rasmussen may be reached in Chicago at 7342 South Shore drive.

1909

Olive Graham Howland, Secretary

61 Forest Ave., East Lansing, Mich.

B. H. Anibal, vice-president in charge of engineering at the Oakland division of General Motors at Pontiac. He gives his address as 115 Ottawa drive. He reports that E. B. Hodges is a distributor in Pontiac for the Oakland and Pontiac motor cars.

C. G. Bullis has moved in Newport, Rhode Island, to 25 Bedlow drive.

F. F. Burroughs has left Toledo and is now associated with Lloyd Thomas, appraisal engineer of Chicago. He is living at the Y. M. C. A. in Evanston.

Mrs. Burroughs (Neenah Mullen, w'11), will join her husband in June after their daughter, Ruth, graduates from one of the Toledo high schools.

1911

James G. Hayes, Secretary

213 Bailey St., East Lansing, Mich.

J. F. Campbell lives in Milwaukee at 302 Hampton road. He is instructor and athletic director at the University of Minnesota, Duluth, and is to return to the university in the fall.

Henry L. Pablow, Secretary

East Lansing, Mich.

Charles Merwin and brother, Clyde E. '08, of Detroit, are owners of the Merwin Brothers contracting and engineering firm. Their Detroit office is located at Healy street and the D. T. railroad. Their Pontiac office and yard is at Arthur street and the Grand Trunk railroad.

Loren W. Read of Copemish sums it up as follows: "Still on the home farm, Shorthorn cattle, Shropshire sheep, certified potatoes since 1921. Family of five, three girls and two boys."

R. W. Wilson is with the Clarage
Fan company of Kalamazoo, Michigan, as sales manager. He lives at 429 Creston.

1916
Herbert G. Cooper, Secretary
1829 Moore River Drive, Lansing, Mich.
A. L. Alderman is located at 13 S. Euclid avenue, Bellevue, Pittsburgh. He is with the Baker Perkins company, incorporated, of Saginaw, Michigan.
Glenn Carey is collector of internal revenue for the Lansing district under A. L. Alderman, as sales manager. He lives at 429 Creston.

W. K. Makemson is chief permissible freight inspector for the Pennsylvania railroad at Pittsburgh.

Wilbur Wright sends his blue slip from Corsicana, Texas, with the following note: "Texas is a long ways from the campus and unless more members let each other know what is going on about themselves, The Record will have small appeal to the students who are too far away from the campus to drop in. My line of business, advertising, has not changed a whole lot but has always shown a small increase each year. I wish sometime an indexed list of students and addresses could be published either at one time in a pamphlet or serially in The Record. Often I would like to know where a certain party is located."

1918
Willard Coulter, Secretary
1245 Randolph S. E., Grand Rapids, Mich.
Grace Anderson Brownrigg is living at 1064 East First South street, Salt Lake City, Utah.

William DeYoung is on the Montana Experiment Station staff as assistant agronomist in charge of detailed soil survey. He lives at 419 West Cleveland, Bozeman, Montana. DeYoung recently served as a member of a land classification board appointed by the commissioner of Indian affairs of the United States department of interior to classify lands within the Flathead irrigation project, located in the western part of Montana.

C. J. Overmyer writes that he is still with Devoe & Raynolds company, incorporated, oldest paint manufacturers in the United States (1754). He lives at 585 Franklin street, Melrose Highlands, Massachusetts. Overmyer was elected to membership as an alumnus in Sigma Xi by the M. S. C. chapter, last summer.

1920
C. G. Luddin, Secretary
East Lansing, Mich.

Clarence F. and Kathryn Baert, (23) Ramsay announce the birth of George Craig on January 16, 1930. The Ramsays live in Coldwater, Michigan, where Ramsay is connected with the State Public school.

Harvey Schnur is in his "seventh year selling Colonial butter salt to buttermakers in Iowa." Schnur lives at the Hotel Wagner, Waterloo Iowa.

S. C. Vandecaveye has been professor of soils at the Washington State college at Pullman since February, 1928. Vandecaveye lives in Pullman at 1708 Monroe street.

R. D. Wyckoff is in the geophysical department of the Gulf Oil company's research laboratory at 227 Craft avenue, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

John F. Yeager has left Smith-Hughes work and is now connected with the Lapeer County Press. He sends his regards to his friends, and gives his address as 70 Madison street, Lapeer, Michigan.

Melin C. Hart, principal of the Birmingham schools, was advanced from the office of secretary to the vice-presidency of the department of high school principals of the Michigan Educational association at the department's annual meeting in Lansing December 12.

1921
Maurice Rann, Secretary
1409 Osborn Road, Lansing, Mich.

Mrs. D. W. Dicken (Lenore Kenny) is living in Boyne City, Michigan.

James M. Gorsline is county agricultural agent of Arenac county, with
offices in the Court House at Standish, Michigan.

Dorothy Curtiss Doyle is living in Grand Rapids at 1201 Wealthy S. E.

Melzar E. Lockwood is in the engineering division of the Motor Wheel corporation at Lansing. He lives at 1917 Polly avenue, and has two children, a boy and a girl.

Carol Macgregor, formerly connected with the Michigan Inspection bureau of Grand Rapids, has become a special agent for the Boston and Old Colony insurance company and has moved his family to Urbana, Ohio. His offices in Urbana are at 704 Hartman building.

Dorothea Weatherbee Chase sends her blue slip from 326-A Doniphan avenue, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, with the following note: "Major Chase and I are here at the Command and General Staff School of the Army, where Major Chase is a student. Will be here until June 1931."

1922

Mrs. Donald Durfee, Secretary
12758 Stoepel Ave., Detroit, Mich.

Stannard L. and Gladys Kinney (w'27) Baker recently left Lansing for Los Angeles, California, where they will make their home. Mr. Baker, formerly underwriter for the Michigan Millers Mutual Fire Insurance company of Lansing, has accepted the position of office manager and underwriter for the Lyon Insurance company of Los Angeles. They made the trip by automobile.

Claude and Helen Schmidt ('23) Erickson have moved in Lansing to 1509 W. Washenaw street.

Ronald Pocklington is setting out and developing rubber plantations in Liberia, Africa, for the Firestone Tire and Rubber company.

Quoting Charles and Nannie Bunker Weckler they "have moved to the country," and are living on route 1, Hammond, Indiana. Weckler was appointed assistant superintendent of construction and repair department of the Grasselli Chemical company of East Chicago, Illinois, last April. Weckler reports that Ivan Sours is married and has a daughter four months old.

1923

Wm. H. Taylor, Secretary
Okemos, Mich.

Lester Allen has moved to Ithaca, Michigan.

L. C. Davies gives his address as Box 394, Hawthorne, Nevada, and notes: "With U. S. Navy Engineering corporation, building a 'desert city' and ammunition depot. 133 buildings in all with complete water, sewer system and central heating plant, pavements, golf course, airport and beach development on Walker lake. We have some interesting work here but few callers, especially from M. S. C. Would welcome any who should wander from the beaten paths in this way."

Keith M. Farley sends his blue slip from 2 Llandoff road, Llanerch, Upper East Lansing State Bank
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George L. Crocker
Manager

continental Hotel Corporation
Darby, Pennsylvania, with the following: "Wish to report the arrival of Keith Mallory, Jr., on November 2, 1929. Am still with United Engineers and Constructors, Inc., 112 N. Broad street, Philadelphia, and at present acting as assistant superintendent on the construction of a transmission line located on the outskirts of the city. W. S. Hulse who attended M. S. C. for a year about '10 or '11 is superintendent on this work. Nuttila, Hubbard, and myself have been meeting regularly for lunch on Mondays. Miller, '25, was also with us regularly until his return to Chicago. Alfred Idelles, Groothuis and Kingsley are other M. S. C. men now with U. E. & C. Inc."

E. A. Sindecuse has moved in St. Louis, Missouri, to 1038 Oakview place.

1924

Clarissa Anderson, Secretary

Emma DuBord is home demonstration agent in Wayne county, Michigan, with headquarters in Dearborn.

Joseph H. and Dorothy Bacon ('23) Smiley are living in Detroit at 15640 Baylis.

Lyle M. Smith writes from 8023 Champlain avenue, Chicago: "Am still with the Interstate Iron and Steel, and have just been transferred to mill foreman over the Blooming mill and 21-inch mill, after being mill foreman of the Merchant mill for two years. Also wish to announce the birth of a daughter, Carol Jane. December 3, 1929."

Hugo Sundling is with the California Forest Experiment Station at Berkeley.

1925

Frances Ayres, Secretary

East Lansing, Mich.

Fred Moore writes from 909 Metropolitan building, East St. Louis, Illinois: "Still working as assistant engineer in the Illinois division of highways. Alice (Skeels) and Elton Homer Moore are well and healthy. Elton is learning to talk so you see we won't lack for company. We hope any M. S. C. people coming near East St. Louis will look us up. Go heavy on class notes, we sure like them."

Roy MacMillian gives his address as 1425 Loma Vista, Pasadena, California, and notes: "Am still with the Hogan company, the largest real estate and insurance company in Pasadena and have been appointed to the managership of the automobile insurance department. I am taking a vacation trip to Michigan this June and expect to make quite a visit at the old school. My wife and 14 months old son will also make the trip and we expect to show Coach Crowley a future Michigan State quarterback. Au Revoir—see you in June."

M. H. Collinson may be reached at 6545 Georgia, Detroit. He is with the Baker and Collinson company, manufacturing agents for paint supplies.

Hazel Bradley has been county club agent in Gogebic county since May 1, 1929, and may be reached at 218 Park street, Ironwood. She finds the work most interesting and varied than teaching and enjoys it very much. She adds: "The U. P. has its charms both summer and winter. L. R. Arnold, '23; A. J. Bell, '25; Russell Horwood, '26; and L. H. Blakeslee, '26, all upper peninsula extension specialists, visit this county occasionally. Corrine Ormiston, '25, is club agent in Chippewa county at the other end of the peninsula."

Charles Armstrong is general assistant to the chief statistician of the General Electric company at Schenectady. Armstrong's work consists of special statistical and actuarial studies, such as forecasts of orders, insurance losses, pension payments, etc. He lives in Schenectady at 822 State street.