NOTICES.

The Hort. Club meets tomorrow (Wednesday) evening.

Mr. H. S. Dail, of Detroit, will speak to the M. A. C. Come out and help the team win.

Meeting of Record editors Thursday 7 p.m., College Hall, No. 7.

Rooms for next fall may be reserved next week. See bulletin board notices.

Athletic hop Friday night, Armory, 7 o'clock. Benefit of Athletic Union.

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Our Orator.

We present this week a cut of Mr. Wermuth, who will represent M. A. C. in the literary contest. Mr. Wermuth’s home is Newark, Mich. He entered M. A. C. in ’95 with the class of 1902, having prepared one year in the Ithaca high school. He is a member of the local Literary Society and has on several occasions represented his society with success in inter-society contests.

Mr. Burt Wermuth, ’02

ALUMNI.

E. M. Preston of Nevada City, Calif., on Farm Home Decorations.

V. M. C. Benson of Nevada City, Calif., on the maintenance of a valuable jewel a short time ago. Mr. Preston is past Grand Master of Masonic Council. The honor was shown him by his own Nevada City lodge because of his services in the Masonic order in the past.

T. M. F. Meeker, of California, on the solution of a difficult question in electrical engineering.

M. A. C.-NORMAL DEBATE.

YPSILANTI GETS THE UNANIMOUS DECISION OF THE JUDGES.

A fairly sized audience greeted the M. A. C. and Normal debaters Friday evening in the Armory. The night was rainy and some were doubtless kept away but all those who remained were given an educational and instructive discussion. The question was, “Resolved: That the policy of our government should be to hold the Philippines as a permanent part of the territory of the United States.”

Mr. E. C. Kellogg, the first affirmative speaker, contended that it is not a new policy on the part of the United States to hold acquired territory. “The islands may be held temporarily, or they may be abandoned, either by immediate withdrawal or by sale.” Two questions were then proposed for the negative to answer: If it is not to hold the islands permanently, is it right to hold them temporarily? If it will be unprofitable to hold them permanently, will it be profitable to hold them temporarily? If permanent possession is wrong we must withdraw, now. If we cannot withdraw, it is not the United States that we are going to, whom shall we surrender them to? Moreover, the permanent retention of the islands (1) the United States and to (2) the Filipinos themselves. Furthermore, we cannot even temporarily give them up to Spain ceded the sovereignty to the United States. Our title is recognized, we peace is practically established and the majority of the Filipinos do not want independence.

Our Orator.

Mr. Dall in the beginning of his remarks stated that the commercial advantage of the islands to the United States would be granted by the negative but said further that the commercial advantage accruing to the Filipinos is on the ground upon which the discussion of the question must rest. There are three ways by which they may deal with the islands. (1) We may hold them as territory looking towards statehood or we may admit them to statehood at once (2) We may hold them as permanent dependencies. The Filipinos are either capable of self government or they are not. If they are capable of self government they should have, ultimately, independence; if they are not, it is unwise to force them upon the United States government, for no Teutonic people has ever successfully incorporated into its body-politic an alien race we have one race problem on our hands now. To govern them as dependencies, it will be necessary to change our government to that of the English Cabinet system for our ponderous constitutional machinery is not adapted to a colonial policy.

Mr. Veit for the affirmative said that this was never been attempted and never will be our policy to grant independence to people in rebellion. The commercial argument was taken up at some length. Our trade relations with the Filipinos are by nature reciprocal. With Guam and Hawaii they form a link in the trade route to the East and afford us a naval base for operations in the Orient. But we must have complete control. Teutonic peoples are by a natural law, governors. We have a duty to perform. The independence of the islands is the watchword of our time.

Miss Van Orman for the negative showed, at some length, reasons why it is not expedient for the Philippines to enter into a permanent commercial advantage with the United States. England’s trade with India has been profitable only because of the unjust commercial policy of the English nation. England’s trade with Canada has fallen off thirty per cent. in forty years. Holland has had a like experience with her colonies thus the idea that trade under certain given conditions follows the flag. The Filipinos have cost the Philippines no money and most of the Filipinos can repaid for countless years to come and besides the European nations are getting and by natural trade relations will continue to get most of the Philippine trade. The continuation of our present policy means the taxing of all for the commercial advantage of the trusts.

Mr. J. A. Munson the last affirmative speaker, set forth that if the Filipinos were conquered by the Filipinos from control by the United States. In the Philippines the Filipinos have been the majority of our occupation. We have brought into these islands four thousand school teachers, have established courts of justice, abolished the former inquisitorial system of taxation substituting a just system in its place, and have improved the sanitary and general conditions of the country. The people are not homogeneous like the Japanese and independence would not benefit them. Tropic peoples have never been successful as self-government. The history of Venezuela is one of numerous revolutions. Our policy in the archipelago has had a parallel for California was under military rule from 1846 to 1850.

Mr. Millar, in the closing speech for the negative, ridiculed the idea that the Filipinos do not desire independence. Their whole history tells of their struggle for liberty. Teutonic peoples have never successfully governed alien races. We cannot force our government on an unwilling people. The United States has acquired territory in three ways, by gift, by conquest, and by purchase. To say that we acquired the islands by gift or conquest is absurd. If we say that we purchased them by purchase, it should hold that we purchased the Philippines gave their consent to the purchase. Our title is not clear. We should hold them temporarily and give them independence as we did Cuba.

Following the first speeches of ten minutes each, the six speakers had each five minutes for rebuttal. Ypsilanti proved the more effective and received the unanimous decision of the judges, who were Mr. Lou, Levi J. Barbour of Detroit, President Gurney of Hillsdale and Mr. H. F. Scoll of U. M. Judge B. Moore was the presiding officer of the evening. At the beginning and end of the debate music was furnished by the M. A. C. band.
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ALUMNI.

(Continued from first page.)

'98. Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Herrold of Lansing on April 21, a daughter.

'98. H. C. Skeels has changed his address from the Chicago Car­nation Cottages, Est. near Harrietstown, N. Y. to 356 North Michigan, Chicago.

Now is with the Detroit Plant of the American Bank Note Co. His address is 524 Baker st.

'00. A. Knechtel, forester for the State of New York has been en­gaged for the coming year to spend six weeks in superintending the planting of spruce and pine trees on a large forest tract near Hartland in northern New York, which are not burned over in 1899. A half million trees are thus being planted, the venture being of an experimental nature.

'01. V. M. Shoeshine writes from the Kansas Agricultural College, Manhattan, Kansas, that he is enjoy­ing his work, but that he finds western methods somewhat differ­ent from those of Michigan.

'01. R. S. Northrop writes from Farmington, N. D. that he likes his work there. He expects to be home during the summer vacation.

'01. In a lengthy letter to J. J. Ferguson received recently, the editor said that Mr. H. J. Skinner wishes to have a very cheerful account of his life and prospects on a Montana ranch of thirty thousand acres stocked with 12,000 sheep. Mr. Skinner is in charge of the Alfalfa work on the ranch. He writes that the cow and horse keeper is his brother B. W. who was a Special at the College a year ago. In correspondence Mr. Skinner is properly. Mr. Skinner's address is Bavaria.

THE BELOIT GAME.

Beloit and M. A. C. slipped around in the mud for seven innings Friday, and when the game was called at the end of the seventh, the score stood Beloit 11, M. A. C. 3. Beloit came first to bat and started things with a rush, but only one run came in the first inning. Bases on balls by Adkins 1, by Case 3, a double play Henderson to Millar to Rassmu­sen. Taken all in all, the game was a great improvement over the U. of Michigan on April 21, '01. In a lengthy letter to J. J. Ferguson received recently, the editor said that Mr. H. J. Skinner wishes to have a very cheerful account of his life and prospects on a Montana ranch of thirty thousand acres stocked with 12,000 sheep. Mr. Skinner is in charge of the Alfalfa work on the ranch. He writes that the cow and horse keeper is his brother B. W. who was a Special at the College a year ago. In correspondence Mr. Skinner is properly. Mr. Skinner's address is Bavaria.

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THE M. A. C. BAND.

There is given below the members of the M. A. C. Band as organized at the present time. The M. A. C. Band, though belonging to the military department, is often called upon to furnish music for College entertainments, and it is thought that a brief mention of the organization will not be out of place.

The present band, is the largest and most complete of any of the members, before coming to M. A. C. have played in the leading bands of the State. J. H. Probst, musical director, deserves much credit for his work, being a fine musician besides an excellent director. The present twenty-five members have been together since last fall, having practiced three times a week all winter, consequently the organization is in excellent condition. Besides the members as given below, there are several who are in athletics and three who have quit school.

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E. F. Fit—S. W. McClure, '03m.

CORNETS.

Soler—R. J. West, '99, F. Holly, '00.

TROMBONES.

First—H. French, '05m, H. B. Smith, '00m.


Third—G. O. Baldwin, '03.

Valve—C. E. Johnson, '05m.

SPARE THE SPRING FLOWERS.

It seems to be the natural tendency for mankind to destroy plants and animals. Boys take delight in shooting any live animal to be forked, and girls in poisoning the domestic animals. The old men delight in cleaning out shrubs and trees, possibly excepting a few at equal distances along the line of a fence.

At this time of the year especially do the students at M. A. C. bring in great bundles of hepatica, spring beauty, violets, adiantum and daisies. They usually try before they arrive at the students room and are worth little or nothing as ornaments. Some of the plants are dug out by the roots, most of them die outright after the tops are picked off.

I wish I could make every student feel that the flowers never look so well when they are permitted to grow. In the vicinity of all colleges of some age and side wild spring flowers sooner or later become rare or extinct. At Harvard University, unless grown in the gardens, they habitually find their way seventy-five miles to secure a supply for class-room use. I should be glad if a society could be formed to help prevent the destruction of our native herbaceous plants. Think of it.

W. B. J.

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ABOUT THE CAMPUS.

The lawmowers were started yesterday.
Professor Babcock's little girl was ill with influenza last week.
Joel G. Palmer, '04, was in the hospital last week with a case of chickenpox.
E. A. Wilcox, '05, was called home last week by the serious illness of his father.
There are six hundred and eighty-eight students enrolled this year in all departments.
Clinton D. Butterfield came from Chicago last week to visit his parents.
A room in the north end of the attic of the Botanical Laboratory is being fitted up for the temporary use of the department.
Miss Zeldie Vosper, with '02, stopped off at M. A. C. last week on her way to her school work in the University.
Mrs. Kedzie entertained one evening last week at whist. After the playing, hot waffles and maple syrup were the order of the day.
The father of Prof. W. O. Hedricks and a talk on plankton are due to the somewhat rare element of interest in the course of the lecture.
B. T. Halstead, with '96, visited with his parents.
T. E. Baldwin, '06, has been obliged to give up his school work this term.
Instructor Reed had a slight touch of tonsilitis the fore part of last week.
A training table for the track team was started yesterday morning in Club E.
Apple trees cultivated by the students have recently been sent out over the State for experiment purposes.
The sugar beet class has detected the somewhat rare element of lithium in the juice of some beets that were analyzed.
B. T. Halstead, with '06, visited on the grounds last week. He was called to Lansing by a law case before the supreme court. His home is in Petoskey.
The Natural History Society were entertained last week by a talk on the migration of birds by Prof. Petit and a talk on plankton by Instructor Meyers.
The members of the Columbian Literary Society entertained their lady friends Saturday evening.
Dancing and games made the hours pass quickly. Owing to the sudden illness of Mr. Gunson, Mr. M. Craig very kindly chaperoned the party.

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WHAT THE CAMPUS.

(Continued from page three.)

Prof. J. F. Riegert, Superintendent of the School of Ethical Culture, New York City, visited Pres. and Mrs. Snyder for a few days during the past week.

Friday evening, one of the rooms in Williams Hall was blackened by fire. The fire started from a gasoline stove. Considerable damage was done to clothing and fixtures.

The Hesperian Society with a number of friends enjoyed a spring party at 9:30 p.m. At this engagement, Prof. and Mrs. U. P. Hedrick and Prof. and Mrs. W. S. Holdsworth were chaperones.

The members of the Union Lit Society, Prof. W. C. A. and Messrs. D. S. Bullock and Y. M. C. A. was conducted by the highest soul development are found in physical being even more so is the physical gymnasium is a valuable instrument. Messrs. Dail and Dunford have designed and had manufactured an apparatus of which they are very proud. The gentlemen have christened their apparatus "The Eureka's Pure Starter Perpetuator." Some interesting food and an abundance of articles appropriate to the occasion will be done to clothing and fixtures.

Mr. Young is investigating the action of the yeast plant upon different kinds of sugars. Messrs. Dail and Dunford have designed and had manufactured an apparatus which they are very proud of. The gentlemen have christened their apparatus "The Eureka's Pure Starter Perpetuator."

Mr. Wright is attempting to determine whether or not bone meal is rendered more soluble by the action of bacteria. One section of the class is investigating the changes taking place in the soil by the action of various fungi. Other sections are studying the role of microorganisms in the making of bread, the fermentation of vinegar, water, milk, and in the canning of fruit. Mr. Young is investigating the action of the yeast plant upon twelve different kinds of sugars.

Prayer meeting. Thursday evening was led by H. N. Hornbeck. Friday evening was led by Rev. Mr. Fry of the Central Methodist church, Lansing, Tex. The campus was well filled. We have thought that our outward man perish, yet the inward man is renewed from day to day. Mr. Fry showed that the spiritual nature of the physical, requires at least three conditions for proper development, viz: A healthful condition of a grand stand, fruitous food and an abundance of proper exercises; and that as the physical is the foundation upon which a valuable factor in the development of the physical being even more so is the spiritual, any failure to maintain this fundamental and necessary factor in soul development. All the necessary conditions for the highest development are found in true service to Jesus Christ.

The union meeting of the Y. W. and Y. M. C. A.'s was held on Thursday evening, attended by Burr Wermuth. The hour was spent in reporting the Lake Geneva Convention by the delegates, Miss Helen Krieger, Miss Anna O'Neill, Mr. W. C. A. and Messrs. D. S. Bullock and George White representing the Y. M. C. A. To the best of our knowledge such a convention is surely a rare opportunity, and if the chance to attend is offered to any young man or woman they ought, by all means, to seriously consider the question before deciding not to go, for it will mean far more in the spiritual lives of those who attend, than any one can imagine. It means to come in contact with the most earnest, live Christian young men and women in the country.

H. N. H.

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