MICHIGAN STATE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

NOTICE.

Lost.—Hesperian Society Pin. Finder please leave with Librarian.

The Farmers' Club will meet this week Wednesday night for election of officers. All members are requested to be present.

Lost.—Probably between dairy building and Secretary's office, possibly near the barn, an Alpha Zeta found.

Finder will kindly leave same at secretary's office and receive suitable reward.

M. I. A. A. MEET.

M. A. C. WINS THE TRACK EVENTS
BY A LARGE MARGIN.

The annual M. I. A. A. field meet held Friday and Saturday at Albion was without doubt the best yet held at a college under the best of attendances, enthusiasm, and records. As in previous years Albion business-men decorated their stands and the whole town had a holiday appearance. At the beginning of the meet Friday M. A. C. took the lead and no college succeeded in heading off the home team. A light rain fell Friday forenoon and the track was in excellent condition.

About noon Saturday an event occurred, which seemed especially sad, because it was so unexpected. Captain North, of the Kalamazoo baseball team, while walking on the railroad track was struck by an incoming train and received injuries, from the effects of which he died fifteen minutes later, without having regained consciousness. The Albion baseball team gave the baseball championship to Kalamazoo, out of respect for the dead captain, and the M. I. A. A. directors sent fitting resolutions of sympathy to the parents.

THE INDOOR MEET.

Attention should be called to the success achieved by our indoor team in winning the first indoor championship pennant offered by the M. I. A. A.

This success is due, to a greater degree than most of us realize, to the untiring efforts of Coach Close. He has had four seasons been daily found in the Armory encouraging and instructing the fellows with no remuneration except his bare expenses. Since his connection with the wrestling team we have been wonderfully successful, which is seen in the development of this year's winning team from new material. Mr. Close has also assisted the training of the track team when he was not busy in the Armory. With such a trainer the fellows are not likely to fear the results of their indoor meets.

The results of the events were as follows:

Middle weight wrestling.—Wolf of Hillsdale, first; Ball of Olivet, second.

Light weight wrestling.—Clark of M. A. C, first; Ball of Olivet, second.

Heavy weight wrestling.—Bell of M. A. C, first; Wolf of Hillsdale, second.

Feather weight wrestling.—Gordon of Hillsdale, first; Brown of M. A. C, second.

Welter weight wrestling.—Fryman of M. A. C, first; Johnson of Albion, second.

Special class (125)—Feenings of Alma, first; Smith of M. A. C, second.

The individual clubswinging was won by Swigart of Alma; Hach of M. A. C, second; Platt of Albion, third.

The parallel bars were won by Bullock of M. A. C; Platt of Albion, third.

These results gave M. A. C four firsts and three seconds, equal to twenty nine points of a possible fifty.

Track events.—100-yard dash—Moon, M. A. C, first; VanDusen, Kalamazoo, second; Hill, Albion, third; time 10 2-5 seconds.

Running broad jump—Burrington, M. A. C, first; Moon, M. A. C, second; Duross, Hillsdale, third; distance 21 feet 9 1-2 inches.

120-yard hurdles—Hurdles, Albion, first; VanDusen, Kalamazoo, second; Hurdles, Albion, third; time 16 3-5 seconds.

Running high jump—Bell, Hillsdale, first; Bett, Albion, second; Bett, Albion, third; height 5 feet 4 1-2 inches.

Cook—Millar, M. A. C, first; height, 10 feet 4 inches; Blanchard, M. A. C, second; Bell, Hillsdale; Loomis, Olivet; and Blasbon, Olivet, tied for third.

Mile run—Phillips, M. A. C, first; Baker, Hillsdale, second; Olin, M. A. C, third; time 4 minutes 50 2-5 seconds.

220-yard hurdles—Church, Albion, first; Bartell, Albion, second; Bett, Albion, third; time 26 2-5 seconds.

The M. I. A. A. track banner, also the indoor banner and the silver cup offered by Mr. Brackett for the winning relay team are now in the possession of M. A. C. and may be seen in the library.

In tennis M. A. C won second place in ladies' doubles and in ladies' singles, the Hillsdale ladies winning first place in both. Miss Hadley played singles for M. A. C and Miss Allie Myer and Miss Emma VanDusen for the doubles. Messrs. Wheeler and Willett lost in the men's doubles, and Mr. Willett also lost the singles. White and Gardner, of Albion, won the final match in doubles, and Hynick, of Alma, won the final match in singles.


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The time for the relay was three minutes and forty-five seconds.

A crowd of one hundred and eighty went to Albion from M. A. C, there being in this number thirty young ladies.

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NOTES ON THE MEET.

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BASEBALL.

ALBION.

AB R H O E

Striker, p . . . .5 2 4 1 0

Van Hoven, cp . . .8 7 9 8 0

Brown, cf . . . .6 6 5 0 0

Church, cf . . . .4 5 1 0 2

Kink, g f . . . .8 7 0 0 0

Blas, g . . . .5 6 0 0 0

Baker, sb . . . .2 2 6 1 0

Bett, sb . . . .6 5 6 0 0

Blair, sf . . . .6 5 1 0 0

Total . . . .27 23 16 2 1

HILLSDALE.

AB R H O E

Hayes, p . . . .7 1 0 0 0

Singer, c b . . . .4 5 3 0 0

Bell, ss . . . .5 6 0 0 0

Brown, rf . . . .8 6 0 0 0

Neuberg, 2b . . .3 4 1 0 0

Hooge, cf . . . .4 1 0 0 0

Warner, sb . . .3 1 0 0 0

Wescott, rf . . . .3 3 2 0 0

Total . . . .20 17 17 3 12
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TUESDAY, JUNE 9, 1903.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

Since the last triennial reunion four, prominently connected with the history of the College, and their associates in its history, have passed away. As a due and fitting mark of respect to our dead, as an expression of the gratitude the living feel for the labor, into the fruits of which we are entered, and in order to preserve among us some record of the other knowledge of the College history, and fitting pride in its great name, it has been determined to hold, as a part of the exercises of the Sacrament, June Sunday, 14th at 7:30 p.m., in the assembly, a memorial service.

It is earnestly desired that all students and all members of the faculty shall arrange to be present. The general spirit of the exercises will be one of respect and devotion to the program. The program has been carefully arranged, and the occasion will bear the name of dedication to all connected with the College.

A TRIP SOUTH

Prof. Tal't has kindly furnished us the following account of his trip south:

On Monday evening, June 1st, I left St. Louis, Missouri, with a party of twenty persons, most of whom were members of the faculty, agricultural and horticultural papers in the northern central states, as guests of the Cotton Belt Railroad, for a trip to the truck and fruit districts of eastern Texas. Prof. Tal't, Hon. R. D. Graham, of Benton, Michigan, W. P. Morrill, of Benton, and W. H. N. Hornback, of Missouri, with whom we talked spoke in the highest terms of Mr. Morrill and believed him to have no doubt of the success of his venture.

CHEMICAL LABORATORY FOR THE EXPERIMENT STATION.

Mr. F. W. Robinson, chemist for the experiment station, will have a very convenient laboratory when the quarters formerly occupied by the department of bacteriology are re-arranged for him, as will be done by the end of the present month.

The new experiment station laboratory is located in the north division of the laboratory building, on the second floor, two rooms, one on the east and one on the west, occupying the whole of the south side of the second floor.

The eastern room will be a special laboratory for the work of the experiment station in general agricultural chemistry, while the western room will be used for the special work in organic chemistry.

The laboratories will be equipped with all necessary apparatus and the work will be conducted in a spirit of thoroughness, and the results obtained will be given the most careful attention.

The new laboratory will be a real improvement, as it is located close to the college buildings, and it will be possible to carry on the work in a more satisfactory manner than has been possible in the past.

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A. M. DONSEREAUX.
ABOUT THE CAMPUS.

Several College people were at Plains last week.
Most of the grass on the campus was mowed last week.
The horticultural department has received a supply of lotuses for the artificial pond.
There is talk of pulling off the baseball game between the instructors and seniors on Saturday afternoon.
Club E will be run during the summer vacation. It has not been decided whether the price of board shall be $2.50 or $3.00 per week.

Fully half the young ladies in the women's building were absent Friday and Saturday. Some were at Albion and others were at home.
Some publishers of educational papers in New York City have written to the College authorities recently for cuts of various buildings.
The M. A. C. district school closed last week. A picnic had been planned as the last event, but this had to be given up on account of bad weather.

Mrs. Rockwood, who edits the Household Department of the Michigan Farmer, was at M. A. C. last week getting facts in regard to the blackberries being hit on the head by a broken trolley pole.

Officers of the Phi Delta Literary Society for the fall term 1903 have been elected as follows: President, Henry William Geller; Secretary, Robert D. Malby; Treasurer, Robert N. Ferguson; Steward, H. L. McNulty; Record Editor, G. H. McIntyre.

A brother of Mr. Higgs of the firm of Higgs & Burton, will put in steam laundry machinery in the "White Elephant" during August and by the opening of the fall term will be ready to do business. Two students will act as agents for the student trade.

Mr. Frank Phillips will study at the University of Michigan next year.

Instructor Crawford and Mr. L. Jenison spent Saturday fishing at Park lake.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Dean visited Mr. Dean's old home the latter part of the week.

Instructor L. A. Waterbury will be Instructor in Civil Engineering in the University of Illinois next year.

The Scrooby Club of Pilgrim church, Lansing, to which club many M. A. C. people belong, had a picnic at Pine lake, Saturday.

There was some delay last week in the work of laying the new water mains, owing to delay in the shipment of eight-inch pipe.

The pine seeds planted by Prof. Bogue in the forest nursery across the Red Cedar river have come up, the results of the planting being very satisfactory.

Several M. A. C. people are planning to study in the University of Chicago this summer. Others from M. A. C. will be in Chicago though not in the University.

Mr. Longyear has discovered a rare bird's nest, that of the Kentucky cardinal. The nest is in the clump of evergreens south of the campus, and will soon be ready for study.

Although for several years there have been Kentucky cardinals on the campus, no nest of this species has been found before.

Mr. James G. Welch of the University of Michigan won the first prize of $50 in gold at the Eastern Interstate Oratorical contest of the Intercollegiate Prohibition Association, which was held at Wooster, Ohio, on May 23. The other states represented were New York, Indiana, Ohio and Kentucky. The Central and Western interstate contests were held at Sioux City, Iowa, and Corvallis, Ore., this year. The winners of these contests this year and next will compete for the "highest oratorical honor known to the College world."
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FORESTRY AT M. A. C.

The four-year course in forestry has been spoken of in a general way, but in view of the inquiries being received about the course, it would seem well to present it clearly understood, and an explanation of the forestry subjects studied may not be out of place.

In the study, elements of forestry, the aim is to make the student familiar with what forestry means, and what it seeks to accomplish, and how land under varying conditions may best be treated from a forestal standpoint. The only one in the course before the junior year, as previously announced, the first two years of the forestry course being the same as for agricultural students.

The subject of forestry in the junior year gives a comprehensive view with reference to the economic aspects. In forest botany, beginning with the pines, the distribution, character, habits, uses and comparative value of the different trees as they occur in the different natural orders are discussed in the classroom. In the field work practice is given in the identification of trees and shrubs and some attention is given to their ecological requirements.

The subject of order is wood technology. The anatomical structure of several species of wood is examined with a view to the specific differences as to growth rings, the wood structure and the reason for the peculiar fitness of certain species of wood for certain purposes.

Silviculture is a study of seeds and seedlings with practical work in the forests from seeds, seedlings, cuttings, and cop­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­&