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THURSDAY, MAY 19, AFTERNOON CONCERT.

For the first time in five years, M. A. C. defeated Calumet. Calumet was one of the best college games ever played in Michigan by a score of 3 to 7. The M. A. C. boys were excellent, but M. A. C. had the decided advantage. Calumet's two bases were killed. M. A. C. stole six and turned the tide. The hitting was about even. M. A. C. made no errors while Calumet made only one that was costly, netting one run in the second frame.

The following is the program for the concert:

Program.
Fantasia, Schubert, Mr. Schrotter.
Aria, Honor and Arms (Saman), Handel, Mr. Howell.
Overture, Turno, Mr. Douglass.

Alma contested with the M. A. C. wrasslers on Friday evening. M. A. C. tried out new men while Alma had her regular wrestlers. Although M. A. C. lost three contests, the rest were won. Having shown such a fine form, the M. A. C. wrestlers performed on the lawn. Their exhibition was well supported.

Jay Sessions, prominent agriculturist of Maple Rapids, Mich., was at M. A. C. a short time last Wednesday.

D. J. Crosby, of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, addressed the state larger Cane Growers' Association on Agricultural Education at their recent meeting in Jacksonville, Florida.

We are very sorry to see in the Parkersburg News the statement that Mr. R. B. A. O., is leaving West Virginia, to take a possibly better position on the Southern Road, with headquarters at Columbia, S. C. Mr. B. is a fine young man, and we congratulate him and the road which has secured his services, but we are not happy that the B. & O. was better able to keep than to spare him. The West Virginia Farm Review, April 1904.

W. J. McGee has spent a year in India, and has received the value of a patent for the production of white lead from ore. The process was patented, the producing with soda, dissolving into basic acetate, precipitating with H2 SO4 and finally treating with HNO3 and NH4 NO3. He has recently made a trip through the lead producing counties of Missouri.

H. C. Skeels, who has charge of a large park in Joliet, Illinois, sent seventeen plants to Dr. Beat for use in the botanic garden.

Thorne Swift made one of his regular visits to Lansing and M. A. C. for the Canada Life Insurance Co., and is doing a large business.

D. S. Bullock writes from Chilli, S. America, that his work is getting along real well and that the climate agrees with him. Another M. A. C. graduate is wanted there this year.

M. B. Stevens has resigned his position as State Agriculturist at Washington and is now taking charge of the old homestead farm, he is particularly well.

E. H. Young, assistant editor of the Farmer's Guide, of Huntington, Indiana, writes that the circulation has increased since last year's printing to over 35,000. A new building will be erected this summer to accommodate the offices and printing plant.

J. A. Dunford is at the university taking the electrical engineering course. Farming did not seem to agree with him, hence he began looking for a farm and educated him with that profession in view.

Friday at 4 o'clock, Wisconsin will play M. A. C. on our home ground. Some of the best bands in the United States, League will be a fine game and everybody should attend.

WISCONSIN VS. M. A. C.

INTER CLASS MEET.

The local track meet last Saturday was very successful, M. A. C. will send a strong team to Albion June 3 and 4.

100 yard dash—Moore 1, Graham 2, Pearsall 3, Hahn 4, Time 10.75 sec. 1 mile—Burrell 1, Holdsworth 2, Wait 3, Rogers 4, Time 5 min. 16 sec...

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The Wesleyan of Macom, Ga., is interesting and contains some very readable matter. The editor of the exchange department is signing a column of a journal which contained a sketch of the life of Booker T. Washington, and his last few minutes the meeting was thrown open for general discussion. About asking the paper from the good office, for the first time in many years, so as to secure the paper regularly in sufficient numbers.

The Wyandotte Daily Record is a very flourishing newspaper. The object is to give practical demonstrations in diversified agriculture. The south seems to raise nothing but corn and cotton. As a result, the soil is being depleted rapidly. Live stock will be introduced and a regular rotation practiced. The idea is to restore the soil to its original state of productivity and to show that rotation is more profitable than the one crop plan. M. A. Crosby will have charge of several of these farms.

M. A. C. must lose every game unless this is highly improbable, she will be visited that of Chas. W. Garfield at Cleveland in Newaygo county. Commissioner E. A. Wildey, in the city and require a force of 15. A. D. Baker is secretary of the Michigan Millers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company, office of the company are well located.

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The young women in physics have been determining the velocity of sound in the air. Two stations were set up, and the distance between was measured by a sextant. A pendulum was used to indicate the time. The velocity was found to be 1,150 feet per second. Theoretically, the velocity should have been about 1,190 feet per second.

While very theoretical discussion, the material were at hand. This wrecked at sea not one would be able to construct a raft even if all the number of lines to the inch, but gratings are exceedingly rare. The grating is made on polished speculum metal. Other seeds were ordered from G. W. Park, of La Park, Penn., who graduated M. A. C. in 1890, and is one of the original members and is used to measure wave-lengths. The grating is made by Schneider of Johns Hopkins, Baltimore, and is sold to the children for experiment.

The young women in physics were encouraged by their past history, and are justified in making greater demands than ever, by the importance of the functions which they fulfill."—S. LAWRENCE BIERBOUM, University of Michigan.

Thomas Foster died of pneumonia last week Monday after an illness of only a few days. He was 76 years old and had lived near the brick house since 1851. He saw M. A. C. from the very start and watched its growth and development with much interest. The "old boys" all remember the brick house near the large stone. Here in the days of no cars and high-priced busses, many a one has taken a rest and refreshed himself at the Foster well.

Three Foster families have lived between was measured by a sextant just outside the city limits. Two sisters still live here and both are well supplied with information regarding pioneer days. President Foster had his home at this place. The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon and was largely attended. Mrs. Sweeney was present.

Instructor Michels is the author of a 165-page book on "Chemistry and Butter-making." It has been pronounced by experts as one of the most valuable additions to the dairy literature and the best book in its line published up to date. Mr. Michels is well known as an expert in dairy lines and as a buttermaker who understands the trade as well as the practice. Some of the principal subjects considered are, Ballock test, bacteria, cream ripening, starters, churning, packing and marketing butter, construction of creameries, creamery mechanics, pasteurization, detection of impurities, milk, care of milk and cream, refrigeration and creamery bookkeeping. The essential facts are stated in a very interesting and concise manner.

Some excellent hints are given and the illustration is neat and attractive. It has already met with a hearty reception.

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