THE JUNIOR HOP

In spite of all the discomforts and disappointments caused by the storm on the night of the Junior Hop of 1913 was perhaps the greatest occasion of its kind ever held. About 150 guests were present, and they were not all there either. On account of the terrific storm, which began during the afternoon, the guests from Lansing were held up shortly after one o'clock, and none were availed of.

A large number of the juniors (and some patrons) gathered at the costers, eglet, pickles, filet of fish, lemon sauce, Saratoga flutes, spring salad, Harlequin sandwiches, custom's entree, French peas, jelly rolls, junior punch, ice cream, white cake, and coffee. The orchestra, under the direction of Henry Keigo, of Detroit, was conducted by twelve-piece orchestra, under the direction of Hugo Keigo, of Detroit. The music was provided by the marching band, and the dinner hour was extended, college people were storm-bound—and yet it was the greatest party ever held, and the effort was worth while.

WASHINGTON ALUMNI MEET.

The annual meeting of the Michigan Agricultural College alumni was held at Lansing, Feb. 20. Covers were laid for 40 people and plates for 16 more. 1500 dollars were subscribed; there were changed three times or more during the evening, much to the delight of the committee. It was a social affair. Roger Bros, silverware was used. The spoons ranged from eight to one hundred, and the shrewdness of the older members who had received their training in club E became the talk of the afternoon. The boulion cup was firmly grasped by the hands and drunk. Enough oysters were served to go around, but the miniature fork beside each covered remained a mystery to the end. We have learned since from a late co-ed that it was an oyster spear. These matters, while of no great importance in themselves, may be of interest to the Chicago alumni, and perhaps to the other associations in the provinces.

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The M. A. C. RECORD.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1912

THE ROUND-UP.

The annual Round-Up Institute opened up today, and bids fair to equal in numbers and interest that of any previous meeting. More than usual interest has been taken in the county institutes throughout the state during the winter, which is an indication of a good crowd during this week.

As previously stated, the forenoon proceedings were of various members of our faculty, who will speak on practical farm problems. This part of the day is always the most enjoyable, and it is hoped that large audiences will greet each.

On Wednesday and Thursday will be held the Women's Congress, and all matters pertaining to the home will receive attention.

Special music has been arranged for both afternoon and evening sessions, and will include the musical organization of the college, School for the Blind, and the Industrial School.

M. A. C. GLEE CLUB.

The Glee Club made its bow to the public Thursday evening, and gave a very pleasing program. In spite of inclement weather, the patronage was good, and upon every hand the most favorable comment was heard.

The Club gave six numbers, and very generously responded to encores after each.

The Nightingale quartette, composed of Messrs. Ralph Dodge, Blaine Chaney, John Holden and Lee C. P. Banks, received their character interpretation of the Old Oaken Bucket causing much merriment.

The work of Mr. Ralph L. Warner, baritone, was appreciated by all. The Rosary by Nevin and Stuart's Rambler were given in a pleasing manner. In response to an encore Mr. Warner sang "Under the Old Oak Tree." Prof. King, who had but recently been in attendance upon a social function of junior roll, stated that his mind was "somewhat dissipat ed," and he begged the audience to be patient with him, for he was old, for he must needs "stay in beaten paths." His numbers were re ceived with applause, and his interpretations showed that his J. hop experience had in no way affected his vocal range. The work of Mr. Hartsuch, as accompanist, was of a high order, and the close of the program was a decided success.

To Mr. Killeen is due great credit for his work as director, and it is to be hoped that we shall hear more of our Glee Club in the future.

BASKET BALL

M. A. C. WINS STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

HOPE IS BEATEN.

On account of the terrific storm Wednesday, the hope team was not able to reach the College by trolley, and the game was played at 7 o'clock instead of 3:30 as scheduled. The visitors started on the car, but were finally compelled to get a dray be fore going far.

Spencer and Chamberlain were obliged to leave for the J hop, and the number on the team was turned over by Dodge and Matthews as center and guard. Both played a wonderful game, as did also the regulars. It was one of the snappiest games of the season, and the loyal support of the fans was good to see. They were with the team every minute, and the players felt it.

The first half ended 19 to 10, and in the final count M. A. C. was credited with the long end of a 35 to 25 score.

DETROIT "Y" IS BEATEN.

M. A. C. closed the home basket ball schedule Saturday evening by winning from the strong Detroit "Y" team, 42 to 26. The first half of this rather discouraging game saw the visitors starting the scoring, following some as fine team work as has ever been seen at M. A. C. They were in the lead during the entire first half, and ended this period with marking of two points.

In the second half, M. A. C. began to get into the fighting spirit, and made about as much headway as any other team has this season. After about 10 minutes of play, three or four baskets were thrown in a row, and clinched the game. Original songs and yells, "some music," a cow bell and an alarm clock kept to force lively, and the cheerers certainly did their share.

FROM EDWARDS, '09.

Dear Mr. Faunce:
The Record came to me again tonight, and as usual, I read it with much interest. Only those who have left the campus for the last time and really appreciate the Record means as a link between present and past.

I was in San Francisco recently to attend a district supervisors' meeting and had quite a visit with A. Mitchell, '03, and Mrs. Mitchell, who was Miss Edwards '03, also. We "jabbered" a good deal about old times and wondered how the '03 class catapillar tree was getting along that we so carefully planted across from Prey's house. I wish some thoughtful '09'er who ranges around the campus (old "Bov Harvard") for instance might ramble over there and make a progress report on its condition. It seemed mighty good to see Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, who are nicely settled in Frisco.

I read with interest of Orrait's good fortune in being recommended for membership in the Kahn Fund. It seems to me that we should do the same fellow who tried to purchase the radiator in his room from the College of leaf-taking seniors, does it?

Through the columns of the Record, I give my regards to everyone I know there.


HERE'S TO MR. KILLEEN!

On Friday evening, in the presence of the Woman's Club, Mr. Killeen gave before the M. A. C. Women's Club and its guests, the story of the opera, "Carmen," by Bizet, with selections from the opera. It was a most enjoyable recital, and a treat to those beginning to end.

The story of the opera has not much to commend it, the being experiences of a light-hearted Gypsy maiden and her lovers, but the music is often very, and always charming.

Mr. Killeen was ably assisted by Miss Ellen Gilroy. The soprano, Mrs. Moore, from Lansing, and Mr. Morse, from East Lansing, Miss Moore was in splendid voice, and added to her already large list of friends by her singing Friday evening. Miss Gilroy's solos were given with the animation and freedom which they demanded, and which made them very attractive.

Mr. Morse sang with force and spirit, and gave great pleasure. Miss Dollar was a most pleasing performer, and was, of course, a most entertaining and enjoyable, because we heard again portions from the opera.

Mr. Killeen, who was responsible for all this, himself sang a solo, his talent would be well to hear always a pleasure to hear Mr. Killeen's rich, smooth tenor, and his performance was well appreciated and enjoyed by all who heard it. The Woman's Club extends him hearty thanks.

THE SHORT COURSES.

The eight weeks' courses closed on Friday, and with a record of numbers, preparation and results obtained, it can truly be said that the work of the school has been most successful ever attempted. Many of M. A. C.'s staunch friends are among the attendants this year for only a short time, and then go back to the field and factories, where they are members of the "M. A. C." among those with whom they come in contact.

On Thursday evening Deon Shaw met the class for the last time this winter, and gave them some excellent advice concerning their relationship to this institution, and to the communities into which their future lives would tend. The fact that they had received training at the Michigan Agricultural College, would be sufficient to arouse an interest among the neighbors and friends, and the result of their future endeavors would be watched by all.

A few of the class left on Thurs day, but the greater number remained until Friday morning. In spite of the fact that the College Institute is held this week only a small number of short course men found it possible to remain."

Dr. M. H. Reynolds, professor of veterinary science in the University of Minnesota, has been spending a few days with his brother-in-law Dean Shaw.
F. J. Richards, '15 with the Flint Gas Co., was a college visitor recently.

C. H. Smith furnishes a most excellent write-up of the Washington meeting. Next week will be published a full account of the meeting at Chicago.

The local peace oration contest will be held either the 4th or 5th of March. Those desiring to enter this contest should see either Dr. Blaisdell or Mr. Hensel at once.

A noon meeting will be held in the large assembly room of the People's Church recently, at which one hundred men were present. After a banquet a number of excellent speeches were made, Mayor Gunson acting as toast master.

Several new bulletin boards have been placed in the hall of the library building, to be used for the announcement of college functions, club meetings, etc. It is to be hoped that these will prove adequate, and that it will not be necessary to deface the walls, which has already been done to some extent.

On March 16, the second annual Michigan indoor championship athletic meet will be held in the light guard armory, Detroit. The meet is held under the auspices of the Detroit Y. M. C. A., and several state teams will compete for honors. M. A. C. will be represented by a picked team of five or six men, who have shown up well in the local events.

Mrs. Polson was called to her old home in Milwaukee, yesterday, on account of the death of her father.

All men interested in the inter-collegiate debate are requested to meet Dr. Blaisdell in room 6, College Hall, Wednesday evening at 5:15.

Attorney C. C. Wood has purchased the property on Evergreen Ave. formerly owned by C. C. Corbett, and was given possession of same on Saturday of last week.

Prof. Ryder was called to Plymouth Sunday, on account of the death of his mother.

There were 49 men enrolled in the one-week dairy course held at M. A. C. Feb. 19-24. Representatives from a large number of the dairy sections of the state were present.

The M. A. C. alumni advisory council will hold a meeting in President Snyder's office this evening, to discuss matters of interest pertaining to M. A. C. and her alumni. The committee is composed of the following members: W. K. Prudden, '78, Lansing; Geo. J. Jenkins, '89, Harbor Beach; W. O. Heidrick, '81, M. A. C.; L. W. Watkins, '93, Manchester, and Gerrit Masselink, '95, Big Rapids. With the exception of Mr. Jenkins, it is expected that all the members will be present.

The sacred concert Sunday afternoon was attended by a large number of college and East Lansing people, and was thoroughly appreciated. In addition to the military band, excellent numbers were given by the M. A. C. choir, the Aurorean Male Quartette, and Mr. E. W. De Graff, violinist. Another concert will probably be given in two weeks.

W. J. Wright, '01, of State Colleges, Pa., writes as follows: "You may be interested to know that we had a little party for the M. A. C. people here a short time ago, at which there were eleven present, all of whom were either students at M. A. C. or had lived there. All but three were old-time students, and they were either wives or husbands of students."

Fred S. Curtis, with the class of '01, is a traveling salesman with W. S. Tyler Co., of El Paso, Tex. Private address, box 824. Mr. Curtis was prominent in the football field during his two years of college life.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Peters, of Springport, announce the engagement of their daughter Gertrude, '06, to Mr. Alfred R. Van Horne, of Albany, New York. Miss Peters is at present in charge of the Dept. of Household Economics in the New York State Normal College, at Albany.
FERRIS LECTURE CANCELLED.

A telegram on Thursday morning announced the fact that President W. N. Ferris, of the Ferris Institute, who was to have delivered an address in the Armory at 10:30, was obliged to turn back on account of the storm. Traffic was so thoroughly tied up that no trains were on time, and in some instances did not arrive at all during the day.

It was a great disappointment to many of our M. A. C. people, as the address had been thoroughly advertised, and the story had been gotten in readiness for the big crowd which was sure to have been present had not the weather man interfered.

Some 26 local F. I. people had planned a little "waltz" for Mr. Ferris, which, of course, was not followed up. We shall hope that at some future time we may secure Mr. Ferris' services.

APPRÉCIATION.

"To the President and Faculty of the Michigan Agricultural College, Greeting:"

"We appreciate the students in the short course in horticulture, 1912, in appreciation of the excellent instruction given us, do hereby tender to you our hearty thanks for the many privileges offered. Upon the basis of our experience, we take pleasure in commending the course to active and prospective fruit growers in Michigan. If the work of the future is conducted in the same spirit as in 1912, it should prove a most potent factor in stimulating a genuine interest in the cultivation of the best fruit.

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HORT. CLUB.

The Hort. Club was addressed on Tuesday evening, by J. F. Nellist, of Grand Rapids.

Mr. Nellist was an engineering student who has taken up agriculture. He is using his engineering knowledge to a great advantage, however, in the greenhouse business. He stated that there is probably more business with more failures that than of the greenhouse industry. This is mostly due to the lack of care and information in the construction of the house. It is best to employ an engineer when constructing the house, thereby avoiding all mistakes. Hot water, with the gravity system of circulation, is the most effective means of heating 10,000 square feet of surface.

Mr. Nellist's specialty is sweet peas. He packs all of his blossoms in corrugated boxes, and ships them to Detroit on a 15 per cent commission basis. The returns are from 15c to 30c. per square foot of surface, or $15 to 120 per thousand blossoms."

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