SOLIOSTS AT THE MAY FESTIVAL, FRIDAY, MAY 24.

ALUMNI

CHARLES MCKENNY, ’81

New President of Ypsilanti Normal.

Prof. Charles Mckenny, ’81, new president of the State Normal School of Wisconsin, was, on Saturday last, appointed president of the Ypsilanti Normal to succeed Dr. L. J. Jones.

Mr. Mckenny was an Eaton county boy, and received practically all of his earlier educational training in Michigan. In addition to his M. A. C. training, he is a graduate of Olivet, ’89, and received his master’s degree at Wisconsin University in ’96. He was formerly principal of the Central State Normal School at Mt. Pleasant, and was for a time professor of history in Olivet College.

The new president has been connected with various educational movements, and was twice elected president of the National Society for the Study of Education. He is one of the most prominent lecturers in the West, and a great志愿 worker. Michigan is glad to welcome him back.

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A little daughter, Anna Christine, was born to Prof. and Mrs. C. A. Willson, of Knoxville, Tenn., on April 10. Mrs. Willson was formerly Bertha Wellman, ’94, and for some time an instructor in English at M. A. C. Prof. Willson is a graduate of our agricultural course, class of ’94. He is the state veterinarian, and professor of animal husbandry in the University of Tennessee, Knoxville.

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J. V. Gongwer is now with Orin Blackes, civil engineer at Clatskanie, Oregon. His work here consists largely of laying and subdivision of tracks as it is in a real estate town. He states that there are some 6,000 acres of fresh water lakes being reclaimed by silvics. At present Mr. Gongwer is doing the office work and drawing up one plat of this section of this reclaimed area which covers about 1,500 acres. The dredging and silking requires little work beyond a few lines to cut to.

While in Portland last winter Mr. Gongwer saw Clarence Green who was with ’88. Mr. Green is with the Portland Ry. Light and Power Company in the sales department.

L. B. Scott, ’91, has written to the Hort. Dept. a very interesting letter regarding his work in the orange and lemon groves near Riverside, Cal. He is finding a great difference in the prenumence records* of many individual trees, some producing many and others few fruits. Whether this character will be inherited is to be inquired into.

MUSICAL RECITAL.

DEBATING.

A musical recital is to be given Friday evening of this week in the parlor of the Women’s Building. No personal invitations are to be issued, but cordial invitation is extended to all members of the faculty, teaching force and their friends to be present.

These recitals are given each term and have proven popular with college people in general. Below is published the complete program of the coming recital on Friday evening and a general invitation is extended to all music lovers to attend:

PROGRAM

Hungarian Rondo—Hungay
Miss Edna Watkins
Polish Dances—Pienneskas Miss Kathleen Tobias
Romance—H. Huntington-Woodman Miss Alice Wood
Canzontetta—Schubert Miss Helen Boyce
Shepherd and Shepherdess—Godkurd Miss Ada Strong
The Butterfly—Luteville Miss Edna Frazer
To Spring—Grieg Miss Ellen Thompson
Norwegian Ballada—Grieg Miss Neil Carter
Veniensite—Godkurd Miss Edna Whitesman
Violin Solo—Ninth Concerto, de Beriot (First Movement)—Alfred Mason Miss Marion Boes.

Cordellia No. 1—Liet Miss Margaret Hoffbroek
Impromptu in A flat—Schubert Miss Gladys Benwick
Lucia de Lammermoor—Debrietti-Lenethalkey (Arranged for the left hand only.) Miss Madge Lammermoor
Value in Bb—F. Beethoven Miss Fern Livermore
Dance Maire—Salad Sierra (Arranged for low pianos.) Miss Freyhofer and Miss Scott.

Mrs. Lillian Peppard, of our department of domestic art, spoke before the Lansing Ladies Club Friday afternoon at the Y. W. C. A. on ‘Our M. A. C. or Systematic Training for Home Life.’

Mrs. F. G. Carpenter (Chloe Goodrich), who is visiting her home in Lansing, called on college friends last week. Mr. Carpenter is engaged in engineering work at Calgary, Alberta, Can.
The M. A. C. RECORD.

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NEW YORKERS CONVENE.

The Brave of the Titanic.

Brave men, true heroes of Arthur's Chivalry,
They stood upon the stricken vessel's stern;
And bade that little ones who blanched at dark,
And young mothers begging life for babes,
And women in shimmering silks or bare,
Shame should first seek safety in the egg-shell craft;
But they, with selfless like His who bowed
Before the certain cross, a brief prayer turned;
Then, faces front and hearts in chorus with
The violin's "Nearer, My God, to Thee."
They conquered death.

Tues. April 23, 1912.

T. C. B.

ACADEMY OF SCIENCE.

Our Ann Arbor friends who came to attend the Michigan Academy of Science luncheon at the Delta Club at 11:30 Saturday, following which an informal meeting with the Research Club was held in the Botanical Laboratory. An inspection trip was then made to the various laboratories.

The program was a symposium of the work of science as related to agriculture. Dr. Marshall reviewed the subject "Agricultural Research Work" in its relation to the history and activities of the Club, Wednesday evening. He brought out very forcibly the past researches in the advancement of education because of its ap-

BASE BALL.

On account of the condition of the athletic field, it was impossible to play ball last week, and the games with both O. U. and S. U. had to be called off. To fill the vacancy on Saturday the Lansing Leaguers came over for their first appearance in the season, and were beaten 7 to 1 by the home team. Spencer was in his usual good form. The evening continued with the Lansing Leaguers in rapid succession. The visitors used three pitchers. A good close croathed the end of the game, some 170 single admissions being sold in addition to the season tickets presented. The band was on hand, and did much to help the rooting.

OSLL STATE IN N. A. C. S.

Ohio State appeared upon the score yesterday, and although the game was played for the most part in a drizzling rain, the whole nine
twenty-four sections are thrown together for a debate upon a subject chosen about
weekly, as well as less frequent ones.

INTER-CLASS DEBATES.

Some interesting class debates have been carried on the past two weeks between two sections of Mr. Hensley's class in forensic literature, and two of Mr. Bittner's sections. One day each week two opposing

and the remainder in the evening.

interjects ideas of comfort and principle which are influenced by one's work in all things. For this reason a research man should not be expected to be practical, in a popular sense. His hold is furnishing

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**Maj. Oates speaks before the Forestry Club, 2d floor, Dairy Building, this Tuesday evening.**

Dean Bissell was in Detroit the past week, where he attended a meeting of the Detroit Engineering Society.

Mayrhofer, Dayahar and U. S. Crane of last year's class are now inspecting orchards in the Bitter Root Valley, Montana.

Mayor Gunson has sold his property lying at the eastern extremity of the city limits to Mrs. E. J. Kinney who will no doubt plant it for city lots.

Supt. Hartwell, of Traverse City schools, and Mr. Cross, a member of the school board of that city, were at M. A. C. Thursday in search of teachers for the coming year.

J. C. McDowell, agriculturalist, with the U. S. Department of Agriculture, was a college caller Friday of last week. Mr. McDowell was on his way to Muskogon to look after some co-operative experiments in charge of Mr. Haine and others, and to introduce Mr. Thompson, a new field man to the work.

Prof. Benj. F. Balley, of Ann Arbor, will be at M. A. C. Thursday of this week, and will speak twice, afternoon and evening to our engineering students on electrical subjects. In the afternoon he will speak on the design of the induction motor from the user's standpoint. The evening subject has not been announced.

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**ABOUT THE CAMPUS**

The big carnival on April 27. Remember the date and the place.

L. A. Kendall has been quite ill at his home on Albert Ave. for the past ten days.

Prof. J. F. Baker addresses the Farmers' Club this evening upon the subject, "The Farm Wife Good or Bad."

Dorr Skeels, with '03, and wife (Blanche Covell, '05) are at M. A. C. for a few days visiting college friends.

J. O. Linton will talk to the Hort. Club members on Wednesday evening. The annual May Festival of the University of Michigan will be held May 13 to 18 inclusive. Ellison Van Hoose, tenor, who appears on this program, will be one of the singers at M. A. C. on the 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Kendall announce the engagement of their daughter, Lillie May to Alexander McVittie. The marriage will take place in August. Miss Kendall is at present the manager of our Co-op. Book store and "Mac" is in charge of the agricultural work in the St. Johns high school.

President Snyder attended the conference of the Commercial Associations of the State of Michigan, held in Detroit on Wednesday, when he gave an address on "The Needs of the Michigan Agricultural Colleges." The aim of these associations is to aid in the development and protection of Michigan enterprises.

Prof, and Mrs. Ryder were called to Marshall recently on account of the serious illness of the latter's father.

Claude M. Cade, '07, with the U. S. Geologic Survey visited his sister, Mary Cade, '05, a day or two last week.

The Department of Farm Mechanics have a new Acme Harrow designed by the Duane H. Nash Co., of Millington, N. J.

M. B. Kurtz, '14, gave a talk on current events in veterinary science before the M. A. C. Veterinary Medical Association meeting tonight.

Donald Blaisdell, son of Dr. T. C. Blaisdell, of our English Dept., has been seriously ill with pneumonia, but is now reported much improved. Don is editor in chief of our Weekly Star, the only East Lansing newspaper.

It has been practically impossible for Supt. Hudson to do very much in the way of spring work on the farm on account of the condition of the soil following the severe winter. It is hoped the recent rains will have settled the ground so that the work can be rushed.

Miss Mabel Mosher, with '08, who has been assisting in the chemical department during the winter term, now has a position with the Detroit Testing Laboratory, Dairy and Food Department, under Ford S. Robinson. Miss Mosher spent a few days with Lansing and college friends recently.

The members of the Y. W. C. A. hold a debate in their association rooms Thursday evening of this week.

Prof. Babcock is spending a short time at Frankfort, where he has a fruit farm, looking after the spring pruning of his new trees.

About 200 state high school superintendents met in convention in Lansing last week, and several visited M. A. C. in the hope of securing teachers for the coming year.

The Y. W. and Y. M. C. A. organizations will hold a social in the assembly room of the agricultural building on the evening of May 3. The detailed program has not yet been arranged.

The members of the Eclectic Society are making a tennis court on the north side of the building. The ground has been plowed and thoroughly harrowed, and when once in shape will be a fine place for the popular sport.

S. F. Edwards, professor of bacteriology at Guelph, spent a few days with college friends recently and attended the Academy of Science sessions. Mrs. Edwards and little son will remain for a more extended visit with her mother.

Announcement has been received of the birth, on April 17, of a son, John Leon, to Prof. and Mrs. James Halpin, of the University of Wisconsin. Mr. Halpin was formerly in charge of our Poultry Division, and Mrs. H. was formerly Miss Ione Blake, an East Lansing girl.
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THE CADET BAND.
The Band was given a warm reception at St. Johns on Thursday evening the 18th. The members, accompanied by the Aaronic male quartette and Prof. King, left the campus by special car at six o'clock, reaching St. Johns at 7:40. The audience, while not as large as "Mac" would have liked it up in emphasis what they lacked in numbers, every number on the program was presented.
The quartette were "recalled" four times, and Prof. King's selections were well received as were the various selections given by the band. It was a royal good crowd and every member appreciated the treat received at the hands of our St. Johns' friends.
A Band dance will be given in the armeny May 19, and as soon as weather will permit the open air concerts will be given on Wednesday evening of each week.

THE COLLEGE WOMAN.
The community may demand that the college woman shall have a character stronger, richer, finer than is found in the woman not college-educated. A college education helps to free women from certain peculiar temptations. It promotes breadth of vision. It is down playing points of individuality. It causes a woman to think less of herself as a center of things. It thus tends to promote strength, richness, fineness of character.
The community may or may not demand of the college woman much knowledge, but the community may demand true values, true self-sacrifice, true confidence without vanity, comprehensiveness without neglect of detail, faithfulness to small duties without lack of noble imagination, a deep love for humanity without forgetfulness of the love of God, and a love of God which finds its reward in a more loyal service in love to humanity.
The community may or may demand of the college woman knowledge, but the community may demand that she maintain a fine womanly character.

ANNUAL REPORT OF M. A. C.
A most comprehensive report of the Massachusetts Agricultural College, by President Kerckoven L. Butterfield, has come to hand. The document, which comprises the 49th annual report of the college, is divided into three distinct portions:
1. A discussion of some fundamental problems of the colleges.
3. A statement of immediate needs.

Dr. W. O. Hedrick spoke before the union meeting of the Y. W. and Y. M. C. A. Sunday evening on the subject, "Religion and the Open Mind." Prof. French will address the meeting on next Sunday evening.

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