DEBATE.

M. A. C. Wins from Alma — Losses to Ypsi.

In the debate with Alma, Friday evening, the home team was given the unanimous decision of the judges. The question, as before stated, was, "Resolved, that the federal government should adopt the policy of regulating trusts, rather than that of dissolving them."

Messrs. Snyder, Rabinowitz and March, for M. A. C., upheld the affirmative; Messrs. Cook, Carras and Creaser, for Alma, defended the negative. The home team were not only better informed on the subject and prepared to meet the arguments of their opponents, but were for more ready speakers.

The affirmative sought to prove that the combination of capital eliminated waste; that while abuses do exist in combinations, they exist to a greater degree in small businesses. If the trust is to be dissolved, then what of the smaller business?

Mr. Rabinowitz, the second speaker for the affirmative, met the arguments of dissolution in a way which pleased the audience, backing up his argument by concrete examples of attempts. Dissolution takes place, but in its stead comes a "gentleman's agreement," which is barrier by far to deal with.

Mr. March spent considerable time in proving that regulation can, and has, taken place in big combinations, citing instances of railways — lower freight rates, rebating, discriminating, etc.

The visitor sought to prove that dissolution was the only logical way out of the difficulty, backing up their arguments by quotations from various authorities. It was claimed that two-thirds of the countries of the globe demanded dissolution, that dissolution had been successful where tried out; and the Sherman anti-trust law was, of course, given a prominent place.

The second speaker contended that trust regulation violates the natural law, and that the duties of a combination would be altogether too complex to be handled properly.

The last speaker presented some very good arguments, but lost much force because of their not being well in order.

Mr. Snyder was much stronger in rebuttal than his opponent, and was able to refute many of the arguments presented.

Great credit is due, not only to the members of the Normal team, but also to Instructors Bitter and Mitchell, who have been unfruitful in their efforts to produce a winning team. They have sacrificed a great many things in order that the debaters might not lack for anything which would aid their efforts. Their efforts are certainly appreciated.

The judges for the occasion were: Sup't. E. C. Warriner, of Saginaw, Sup't. W. J. McKeon, of Alben, and Prof. S. O. Hartwell, of Kalamazoo.

Prof. Ryder acted in the capacity of chairman, and excellent music was furnished by M. A. C. 75 mandolin club.

YPSI DEBATE.

In the debate with the Normal team from Jackson, the judges were two to one in favor of our opponents. The debate was exceptionally close, and the excellent work done by each man was such that the outcome was in question. The home team was composed of Ernest Hart, George T. Hayes and H. A. Jessup. Each did exceptionally well, and showed the results of careful and painstaking study and of good training. Mr. Hart, in his rebuttal, met the issues of his opponents squarely and well. In fact, the whole debate was one wholly on the issues involved in the question, and little side stepping was done to avoid the real questions.

The judges at Ypsilanti were Mr. John H. Snook, of Detroit, Prof. Carl E. Parry, of Michigan, and Prof. Frank T. Carleton, of Hillsdale.

Instructor Bittner accompanied the team, and all report excellent treatment in every way at the hands of Normal.

As Ypsilanti won unanimously from Alma, this gives her first place in the series, M. A. C. taking second.

FIFTH ANNUAL INSPECTION TRIP OF SENIOR EN. GINEERS.

The party, 26 in number, left Lansing on April 29, Kewaskuk, Iowa, was the first stop. The dam, power house, lock and dry dock of the Mississippi River Power Co. after being completed, and will install a hydro electric plant of 200,000 horse power capacity, from which water will be distributed to St. Louis, Burlington, and other distant points, as well as to Kewaskuk and other near localities. The cost of the plant will be $25,000,000. The dam across the Mississippi is nine-tenths of a mile in length, and will divert to the power plant and lock the water required for their operation, the balance to flow off the spill-ways of the dam.

It is expected to begin delivery of power to St. Louis on July 1st of this year. The plant, in general and in detail, was shown to the party with great care by Dr. G. Waldo Hart, of the office of public relations of the M. R. Power Co., and by Mr. H. B. McDermid, '65, M. A. C., also connected with the company.

Free use of cameras by the members of the party was only one of many courtesies extended. The entire day of April 30 was spent at Kewaskuk, and the visit was noted as well worth the cost of the entire trip.

May 1 and 2 were devoted to visits in Chicago, the Great Northern Hotel being headquarters. On the morning of May 1 visits were made by the entire party to the Fiske and Quarry stations of the Commonwealth-Edison Co. These stations, located near to each other but physically distinct, are each the largest steam electric plants in the country. The generating units are 12,000 and 14,000 K. W. Curtis turbo generators. Four 25,000 K. W. Parsons turbo-generator sets being installed at the Fiske station. A short visit at noon was made at the 14th St. Pumping Station, capacity 75,000,000 gallons, one of eight such stations required for the water supply of Chicago.

In the afternoon the party went to Lockport, whence, after lunching under difficulties a walk of three miles was taken to the Hydro-electro.

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If it is possible to get the material in shape, the triennial number of the Record will be published next week. A special effort will be made to get the number of interest to our alumni, and a copy will be mailed to each one. The reports of committees will be given in program of commencement week, and letters from some of our friends will be sent to us with that at time.

If your association is doing something toward interesting its members, and if you want to hear about it, and we will pass the word along.

The local committees are doing everything possible to make this triennial a success, and with the help of our alumni it is bound to be such.

JOHN T. McCUTCHEON, CARTOONIST.

In Armory Wednesday evening

The Liberal Arts Union has been exceptionally fortunate in securing John T. McCutcheon, the famous Chicago cartoonist, to give a lecture in the armory Wednesday evening of this week. Mr. McCutcheon seldom makes an appointment of this kind, and students and college people in general cannot afford to miss the opportunity to hear this man and see his work.

Mr. McCutcheon will give a lecture on cartoons and an interesting recital of his newspaper work, but will make his cartoons as he lectures.

Mr. McCutcheon has been with the Chicago Tribune since 1895, his life's occupation being the campaign of '96, when with the Chicago Record he covered the dispatch boat McCulloch during the war with Spain, and in the battle of Manila Bay in '86. His foreign tours have taken him to India, Ber- ma, Siam, Cochin China, Korea, Japan, and the Philippines.

The lecture will begin at 6:15, and the same arrangement about noon is good as in former lectures. Students will be admitted on coupon ticket. All others 25 cents.

This is a rare opportunity to see the world's famous cartoonist.

FIFTH ANNUAL INSPECTION TRIP OF SENIOR ENGINEERS.

(Continued from page 1.)

The trip started in Chicago at night and for power to manufacturers in the daytime.

On May 1, one section of the party took a city trip for a trip on the Chicago river, and later one other to one of the intake cribs (50) in which the waters of Lake Michigan are conducted to the pumping stations. In the afternoon the McElroy pumping station was visited. To Mr. W. R. Brown, this is the large and successful of this trip.

The balance of the party went in the morning to the repair shops of the Chicago & Northwestern Ry. Co., where all engines of this great road are given "general" repairs and new work as needed. At noon the guests at lunch of the Western Electric Co., at Hawthorne, and slept the afternoons inspecting the various departments of the company's plant, which employs thousands of men and women in the manufacture exclusively of telephone supplies, mainly for the Bell Telephone Co. A competent gentleman furnished for every four or five persons, and the work and the plants of the company were carefully examined.

In the evening the entire party went to Gary, meeting S. F. Knight, '90, and other M. A. C. men connected with the American Bridge Co., whose plant was visited the morning before. The plant is of the most modern and interesting kind. The plant is new and up in date in every respect. The final official visit of the trip was made to the plant of the Indiana Steel Co., also located at Gary. This is the largest and most modern steel plant in the country, and turns out an immense tonnage of steel plates, beams, billets and rails. The plant is furnished with power by large gas engines using water for the blast furnaces. At every place visited the party was made to feel welcome, and given every courtesy, and the members of the party returned to their college repaired for time and cost of trip, although somewhat tired, of foot, at least.

BASEBALL.

M. A. C. WINS FROM Chicago AND Jefferson.

In a game that was full of excitement from start to finish, the easterners were defeated on home ground Wednesday afternoon by the score of 5 to 7. La. Fever, pitching his second big game, did excellent work, fielded his position well, and though fanning twice, redeemed himself by getting a three base hit out of the game. The visitors worked three pitchers, but all were hit freely, and had it not been for some sensational fielding, the margin would have been greater still.

The work of both Trowbridge and McCutcheon on defense deserve commendation, as they handled their chances without error, the former getting eight at second and the latter fifteen at first. Trowbridge secured two hits, and scored two of the seven runs made by the home team.

The day was exceptionally fine for baseball, the scoring was a great improvement over the preceding game, the umpire was in "good" shape, and M. A. C. was satisfied with results.

The band gave an open air concert at 6:30, and was thus unable to play at the game.

SYRACUSE DEFEATED 5 TO 1.

The Syracuse team met defeat at the hands of M. A. C. Friday by the same score which they won from Michigan the preceding day. For eight innings the visitors never got farther than second base. In the ninth, with a base on balls followed by two hits, our opponents scored their only tally.

Peterson was in splendid form and pitched ball all the while, the support was almost fanatical. Eight stolen bases were registered by the home team, Harvey even went to second in two at-bats. Added to this are eight base drives and five costly mistakes on the part of the visiting side, which combined to give M. A. C. the game.

M. A. C. started the scoring early, running in two scores in the first on infield hits, a pass and two costly errors.

In the third, Fuller was given a pass, stole second, and went to third on a passed ball. Mogge was out on a pop fly, but Dawson drove the ball into left field for two bases, and increased the lead to three scores.

In the seventh, M. A. C. scored twice, Harvey and Griggs working the double steal, resulting in a score for the former. Peterson singled, stole second, and on Fuller's hit scored the last of the runs for the home team.

The hopes of M. A. C. fans have risen some 30 per cent., and with the showing which the team is now making, this week's games should be ours.

Olivet is especially strong among the eastern colleges, and will try hard on Wednesday to take revenge on M. A. C. for the defeat suffered the preceding day.

Michigan will be here Saturday, and on comparative scores we have something to say as to who will win. It will be the big game of the season, and every one must come out and cheer.

The band will be heard, Beebe will do his share as yell master, and the team can win with proper support.

ALUMNI COMMITTEE.

The executive committee of the local alumni, having Friday evening, at which time further plans were made for June 25. Here are some of the steps taken:

Letters are to be sent out to all alumni, with return post cards for replies. Invitations will include the précis of commencement week, with that of alumni day, and an enclosure containing certain proposed changes in the alumni organ-

The tournament was appointed, and a program of toasts adopted. The alumni are to meet at the armory on the evening of June 25.

A play, "As You Like It," by the college dramatic club, will be given, and a ball game, together with numerous other athletic events, will be pulled off.

The returning old students will be met at the stations, registered, their baggage taken care of, and accommodation furnished.

Dean Davenport, '78, of Urbana, Ill., will give the oration; Horace Canfield, the historian; John Nies, '94, of Chicago, will furnish the poem, and Mrs. J. E. F. Peter, and Miss Grant Rapids, is the necrologist.

The college band will furnish music for commencement week and the alumni day as well, and will do much to the enjoyment of the occasion.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

The meeting last Thursday was very well attended, and the speaker, Mr. A. C. Moore, had many thoughts to present. It is an inspiration to listen to the advice of those who have made good here in college. The open discussions are also becoming an important part of these meetings. Our Y. M. C. A. orchestra is always on hand with some good, live music, so if you want to attend a wide-awake meeting you can find it on Thursday evenings in the Y. W. rooms.

The union meeting Sunday night was very well attended. Dean Gilchrist was the speaker, and some very interesting thoughts were presented.

There is only one thing that these meetings lack, and that is sufficient music. We are planning to have some new songs books, and then if the music doesn't get livelier we will find out the cause.

Next Friday night the Y. W. will give a grand party up the river. We will have "cants," yards led by Beebe, and a mass meeting for the Michigan game. Start from Y. W. rooms at 8:30.

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GIRLS' GLEE CLUB AT IDLERS' TEN O'CLOCK.

Parlor of Women's Club. Friday, May 16, 7:30 p.m.

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George P. Boonshoft, instructor in music for the University of Illinois, writes that his work at the university has been very enjoyable and profitable. He has had a 40-foot motor boat chartered the past three months, with which he has been doing tri-}


tigration for the determination of the sighting objects for the light house department. He completed a fine cruise through the inland waterway from Savannah to Jacksonville.

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Mrs. A. R. Sawyer has been quite ill at her home on Ashby Road for several days.

The campus is now putting on its most beautiful colors—getting ready for 1913 commencement and the big triennial.

Prof. Nye called on S. S. Smith, '12, of Fremont, and L. D. Hard, '12, Manistee, the past week, on his trip in the interests of high school agriculture.

On a recent trip to Kalama-zoo, Prof. Showsmith met F. M. Seeley, '02, who is busy putting things in shape on the big farm in connection with the State hospital for insane, where he is agriculturist.

The May Festival, on May 23, should be well attended. Good soloists, an orchestra of 30 pieces and a chorus of 200 voices makes it combinatory certain that it will be a success. Two concerts will be given—one at 2:30 and evening at 8:00.

Some 25 or 30 Purdue students, with Prof. Winko, professor of agronomy, arrived at the college yesterday on their inspection trip. They are interested in the college as a whole but more especially the work given in agronomy and allied subjects.

The fiddlers will give a ten o'clock in the Women's building Friday evening, May 16th. The Girl's Glee Club will furnish the program. Admission will be 25c per couple or 15c each. Every one is welcome. Tickets must be secured early, as space is limited.

Mayor Thos. Gunson is spending a week or ten days with friends at Charlevoix, Mich.

The April bulletin has been received from the press, and is being mailed to some 7,500 seniors in our high schools throughout the state.

Mrs. Jas. Frost and little daughter were guests of her cousin, Prof. Pettit, several days past last week. Mrs. Frost was formerly Miss Al- troth Pettit.

The bill providing for an inspector of aparicis in Michigan has been signed by Gov. Ferris, and will become a law in due course of time. The new inspector will be Mr. McMillan, of Guelph, Ont.

The Hesperian Society gave a delightful party in the armony Friday evening. The patrons were Dean Gilchrist, Prof. and Mrs. An- derson, Mrs. Minogue, and Mr. and Mrs. Gardner, of Lansing. The Lyric orchestra furnished excellent music. The programs were on "Spring," wall paper.

I. T. Pickford, who completed his work for graduation at the close of the winter term, is with the Grand Traverse Orchard Co., located at Empire, and is enjoying his work immensely. The company are planting something like 5,000 trees this spring. The company owns several thousand acres, and are selling off the same in ten-acre plats, five acres of which are planted to fruit. The company is then responsible for the acreage until the same comes into bearing.

Rev. James S. Williamson, of Plymouth Congregational Church, conducted the chapel service on Sunday morning last.

Du Bois Curtis, '11, now on the teaching staff of our civil engineer- ing department, will study for his master's degree at Columbia University next year.

Mr. Williams, of the Department of Farm Management, spent last week at his old home in Missouri. Mr. Williams is a graduate of the Missouri Agricultural College.

The Auorean Literary Society held their spring term party in the assembly room of the agricultural building Friday night of last week. Prof. and Mrs. Clark and Prof. and Mrs. King were patrons.

Dr. Moonford spent several days in Algee county the past week, where an alfalfa campaign was conducted under C. B. Cook as county manager. Prof. P. G. Holten was in the county for a short time going from there to N. W. Ohio to continue his work. Automobiles were used in transporting the speakers from place to place.

P. H. Post is kept quite busy these days in his work as head of the employment agency. He has been able to place a large number of men on Saturdays and at odd hours during the week, thus confering valuable aid to those desiring help, as well as benefiting worthy students. He can be found in room 114, Agricultural Building, from 8:30 to 8:50 p.m. each day.

Mr. J. M. Eagles, who under- went an operation in Sparrow Hospi- tal on May 2, is doing nicely, and will no doubt soon be able to return to his home in Howard Terrace.

In spite of the cold weather, a goodly crowd assembled to hear the first open air concert of the term, Wednesday evening. From this time on, concerts will be given each Wednesday at 6:30 p.m.

Mr. L. D. Watkins, of Manchester, was a college caller Friday. Mr. Watkins, who is the father of L. Whitney Watkins, '92, former member of the State Board of Agri- culture, is a Mich. pioneer and a good friend of old M. A. C.

George Smith, of the present class, sailed from San Francisco for his new post in the Philippine Islands on Saturday, May 2. Nine Michigan men are included in the party, who are on their way to the Islands, where they will be employed as teachers. Their first stop will be Honolulu.

Mrs. P. J. Cross entertained the seniors and junior young ladies of the Sesame Society of M. A. C. at her home, 1131 East Mich. Ave., Saturday, May 16th, from 2:30 to 6:00 p.m. Mrs. Cross was assisted by Mrs. J. A. Polson, of M. A. C.

The decorations were American and Canadian flags.
MILITARY INSPECTION.
Captain Robinson, true to his scheduled appearance, arrived at Lansing Monday evening, and Tuesday forenoon was given over to a review of the cadets. Upon the arrival Captain made a speech that made the regiment saluting, at the sound of "Present Arms!" Following a minute of inspection of the battalion, the inspection was returned.

The result of the inspection was very gratifying, and the cadets were Faultlessly attired and equipped. Their steadiness in ranks was also noticeable.

The battalion and company drills which followed were quite well executed, the inspection of the officers being quite well done and of the cadets. The drill was well executed, and offered little opportunity for criticism.

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