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MAJOR MURCHIE, commandant of the training corps at M. A. C., received orders last Wednesday to discharge the officers who have been stationed at the college as soon as such action is possible. The mustering out of the S. A. T. C. men will take about two weeks, and at the end of that time there will be no further need for the officers, at least as far as M. A. C. is concerned. The war department order indicates that these men will not be transferred elsewhere and that they will be returned to civil life as soon as their work at the college is completed. Most of the officers are anxious to be discharged, but a few have signified a desire to stay in the service. It is possible that some exceptionally well qualified men will have their commissions transferred to the regular army and thus be allowed to continue as officers.

A MASS MEETING was held in the gymnasium the night before the Michigan game. "Pete" Bancroft, well known M. A. C. orator, held the place of honor on the list of speakers, entertaining the gathering with all his oldtime humor and calling for bursts of applause when he opened up with bursts of patriotic "pep." Ed Shields, a Michigan man but one who has won a place in the life of M. A. C. by the interest he takes in all our "doings," spoke on the spirit of the annual battle between the two schools and predicted victory for one team or the other on the morrow, provided there was no tie. The band played "as usual," and yells were rehearsed for the big game.

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UNIFORMS FOR THE R. O. T. C. men were issued by Sergeant Robinson during the past week. The R. O. T. C. unit is made up of the men who are not in the S. A. T. C. and is on the same footing as the reserve officer training corps which was maintained among the students during the year 1917-1918. Nearly all the men in the present R. O. T. C. are freshmen who are under eighteen, the minimum age limit for the S. A. T. C. Their appearance in uniform leaves only a scattered group of "regular" students who are still in civilian clothes.

FIVE CENT CAR FARE has been restored on all Lansing street car lines by order of the city council. This action relieves the uncertain situation in which East Lansing residents found themselves during the period of the six cent fares. An East Lansing franchise, calling for five cent fares, was not affected by action of the Lansing council authorizing a higher rate. As a result some of the college people paid six and some paid five cents for the "privilege" of riding upon the company's single track. It was generally a question of whether or not one had the nerve to ask for his penny back, and timid riders are thankful for the action which has put an end to the uncertainty which made a simple car ride seem like a dabble in high finance.

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION fines were helped out of rather straightened circumstances by the large attendance at the Michigan game. Added expense occasioned by the providing of special recreational facilities for the S. A. T. C. and small receipts at the home games, for which the "flu" was surely reason enough, cut into the finances of the association sadly. No definite report has come from Ann Arbor yet as to the M. A. C. share of the gate receipts, but it is believed that the athletic treasury will be able to pull through the year nicely.

LIEUT. J. F. LESSIE, who has been adjutant to Major Murchie during the life of the S. A. T. C. unit, has been transferred to Chicago on "temporary duty."

A FEATURE at the Michigan game was the flag ceremony carried out just before the opening whistle. The Michigan bands played the Marseillaise while the French flag was raised slowly on a flag pole erected on the field. Immediately the French veterans band returned the compliment by playing the Star Spangled Banner and raising the American flag. The Michigan training corps men standing at attention, with all officers saluting the colors, made an effective background for the touching ceremony. Airplanes flew over the field during the game and the general atmosphere of the day was quite military.
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A CHANCE FOR ALUMNI—SEND IN THAT STUDENT.

An opportunity for M. A. C. alumni to be of unusual service to the college is offered by the decision to open a full year's work on January 2. Literally hundreds of eligible young men who have had to postpone their college course on account of the war will be released from the army before the first of the year, and a word from alumni can be of tremendous help in sending them to East Lansing.

The college faces a critical period in her history. The abolishment of the S. A. T. C. means that only a handful of regular students are at present signed up to continue collegiate work. Many are expected to enter after the first of the year, and authorities are confident that a creditable registration, at least, will be on hand when the next term opens. But there must be no uncertainty about this. Alumni must see to it that every young man who contemplates entering college knows about the advantages of M. A. C. and that he be given an impetus in the right direction.

Colleges all over the state, and outside as well, will be competing for the boys who are, or will soon be, material for prospective students. Normal channels in college have been greatly upset, and a new start must be made. The alumni of an institution give it its strength and heritage, and M. A. C. graduates must be "out the job" in the present situation.

Get in touch with the young men in your community. Visit the preparatory schools. Communicate with men in service who are prospective college students and tell them of the chance to begin a full year of work at M. A. C. on January 2.

S. A. T. C. TO BE DISBANDED.

Training Corps Men Will be Mustered Out At Once, Following Government Order.

Orders received from the war department this week call for the mustering out of the S. A. T. C. unit which has been stationed at M. A. C. since the first of October. The mustering out will start on December 2, and is expected to be completed within about two weeks.

The first of the week the war department asked for an expression of sentiment from the college as to whether or not it wished the S. A. T. C. to be maintained for the remainder of the year. After canvassing the men on the question, in order to see how they felt about it, the faculty voted last Tuesday to notify the war department that it wished the training to be discontinued. The order calling for the mustering out came through without delay, and preparations are now under way to carry out the change.

As a result of the action the college will return to a "peace" basis at once. More than 1,000 men will be affected by the order.

CLINTON, '89, PROMOTED.

Becomes Director of Extension for State College of New Jersey.

L. A. Clinton, '89, for six years with the United States department of agriculture, has assumed the post of director of agricultural extension for the State College of New Jersey, according to information contained in a letter from Washington. The news has been received with much pleasure by his many friends on the campus. In taking up his new duties, Mr. Clinton has changed his address from Washington, D. C., to State Agricultural College, New Brunswick, N. J.

COLLEGE YEAR OPENS JAN. 2.

Men Released From Army Will Have Opportunity To Enter Then.

M. A. C. will open a full year of collegiate work on January 2, affording released soldiers and others who wish to start the college year at that time an opportunity to enter with full standing in their class. In order that the year's work may be completed before the regular fall term commences in September, 1919, the work ordinarily given in the spring term will be offered during the summer months. In other words, all terms will be offered three months behind the normal schedule. The faculty decided upon this schedule after consideration of the fact that many men who have been deprived of the opportunity to enter college during the last few months will be released from the army by the first of the year. Normally these men would have to wait until September, 1919, before taking up their year's work, but the plan adopted will enable them to regain full standing for the present year. For the benefit of the few men who have already had the fall term's course, winter term work will be made available at the regular time, along with the postponed fall courses.

BREWER TO RETURN.

Director of Athletics Wires He Will Soon Be Back to Take Charge.

Chester L. Brewer, director of athletics, who has been absent on leave, wired to President Kedzie during the past week that it will be possible for him to return before long to resume his post here. At present the coach is located at San Antonio, Texas, where he has been directing army physical recreational work in southern camps.

"With changed conditions, I can obtain a release at an early date," Mr. Brewer wired. "The war department desires that I continue my present duties, but now the emergency has ceased to exist I am quite sure I can return—possibly by the first of the year, if you so desire. I will adjust my plans to suit friends here. Mr. Brewer will be of great service to the college during the period of reconstruction which will follow the return to a peace basis.

OPEN S. A. T. C. TO O. T. C. MEN.


A means by which M. A. C. men now in officers training camps can secure a transfer back to college has been opened to them by an order recently issued from the war department. This order, a copy of which has been received by President F. S. Kedzie, says in part:

"Soldiers who have been transferred from student army training corps to central officers training schools, or to officers training schools under the control of chief of staff corps and departments, and chiefs of artillery and field artillery, will be allowed the option of transfer back to the student army training corps, provided they return to college immediately. Suggest to college presidents that they communicate with former students thus transferred to insure that this opportunity is brought to their attention."

More than 100 undergraduate M. A. (Continued on page 8.)
LIEUT. HERBERT G. SHELDON, '14 KILLED.

The M. A. C. pilot stood out as the most sensational man in the game, but his runs did not figure in the scoring.

Johns, at guard, was the only Aggie lineman able to play a winning game. This youngster, a freshman who entered the fall from Lansing, broke up Michigan plays in a manner that reminded the old timers of the days of Blacklock and Gideon Smith. Aside from him, however, the line was clearly outplayed. Franson, who has been one of the two varsity players, was slowed up by a sprained shoulder, and did not play the football expected of him.

A redeeming feature of the game was the splendid passing of the varsity. At this style of play Michigan was far outplayed. A series of four beautifully executed and successful forward passes in the last quarter scored the only touchdown for M. A. C., and incidentally the first score marked up on Michigan's strong men in this fall. The Aggies gained 125 yards on passes, while Michigan was able to advance the ball only 40 yards through the air.

The varsity started with a rush. Ferris returned the first kickoff 40 yards, being brought down by the Michigan quarter on Michigan's 49-yard line. Snider gained 15 yards around the end and then six off tackle, putting the Aggies on the 32-yard line. At this point a forward pass from Graves to Young was put over for a touchdown and Michigan kicked out of danger. Play was in the opponent's territory all the rest of the quarter, however, and it looked like an M. A. C. day.

In the second quarter things broke badly. With only three minutes to play, Michigan missed a place kick from the 30-yard line. An M. A. C. man was off side, however, and the kick was given to the Wolverines on the 25-yard line, on a first down. Several off-tackle plays put it over for the first score. With only a few seconds to play, Michigan kicked off the goal line and the ball was put in play on the 20-yard line. On the first play, Graves fumbled and an Ann Arborite carried the ball over for a touchdown just as the whistle blew.

In the third quarter, Michigan's superior line bucking ability told, and she earned a touchdown straight and accounted for the score. Toward the end of the game the Aggies swept Michigan off her feet with passes, as has been told before, and earned a spectacular touchdown. It was too late to turn the tide of battle, however, and the game ended with the varsity defeated but able to play football which kept the Michigan supporters on the edge of their seats until the final whistle.

It was not the weakness of the varsity but the unusual strength of Yoast's team which determined the issue, and the game goes down in the records as one of the greatest battles fought out between the two schools.

A crowd of more than twenty thousand packed the stands at Ferry field. Before the game the Michigan army and navy training corps paraded in review upon the field of play, representing the two branches of service from Michigan, the M. A. C. military band, led by Prof. A. J. Clark, and the famous French war veterans band played before the game and between the halves. The resultant military setting greatly added to the day, which had all the "trills" of a championship game.

The summary:

M. A. C. (6) Michigan (21)

Schweit LE Dunne
Boo LT Goetz
Archer C Vick
Van T. LW Perrin
Johns RG Freeman
Franson RT Fortune
Young RE Boville
Ferris QB Knodle
Snider LH Cohn
Dunphy RH Perrin
Graves FB Stokete

Score by quarters:
M. A. C. 0 0 0 6—6
Michigan 14 7 0—21

Touchdowns: M. A. C., Schweit, Michigan, Cohn, Knodle, Goetz. Goals from touchdown: Michigan, Stokete (3). Substitutions: M. A. C., Simmons for Dunphy, Brady for Graves, Bailey for Van Orden; Michigan, Cysz for Adams, Morrison for Fortune, Cruse for Cohn, Gendebach for Perrin, Referee, Darree of Williams, Umpire, Kennedy of Chicago.

THE WINTER COURSES in agriculture will be given as usual this year, beginning the first week in January. Several of the courses which normally open in the fall were cancelled because of the influenza epidemic, and some of these will be given in January and February, along with the other short courses. The following work is being offered: Dairy husbandry, Jan. 6 to Feb. 28; general agriculture (eight weeks) Jan. 6 to Feb. 28; horticulture, Jan. 6 to Feb. 28; poultry husbandry, Jan. 6 to Jan. 31; poultry husbandry (four weeks) Jan. 31 to Feb. 17; farm tractors, Feb. 17 to March 16; gardening, Feb. 17 to Feb. 28; farm management course for women, Jan. 7 to Feb. 28. Ashley M. Berridee again has charge of the "short course" work.

W. J. McGee, San Juan, Porto Rico, P. O. Box 758, continues to serve Under Secretary of Food and Drugs. He is now chief of the Porto Rico station, Food and Drug Inspection, Bureau of Chemistry, U. S. Dept. of Agriculture.
**STATE BOARD CONVENES.**

Establish Scholarship for French Girls

Grand Rapids Vets Admitted.

The state board of agriculture convened on Nov. 29 for its customary monthly session. The following are a few of the more important minutes of the meeting:

On motion of Mr. Woodman, Miss Helen Arms was appointed extension specialist in home economics, beginning October 1.

On motion of Mr. Graham, the president was authorized to confer the degree of Bachelor of Science upon Frank E. Senon of Port Angeles, Washington, as of the class of '89.

Estimated expenditures for Vocational Teacher Training Departments for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1919:

1. Salaries:
   - Director of teacher training: $2,000
   - Instructors in teacher training, 1,000
   - Critic teachers: 3,600

2. For Maintenance:
   - Traveling expenses of director: 500
   - Printing (bulletins, forms, reports, etc.): 100
   - Communication ( express, telephone): 100
   - Clerical service (stenographer, etc., in service of department): 360
   - Miscellaneous, such as stationery and supplies necessary to promote teacher training and not needed for other purposes: 300

On motion of Mr. Gram, Dr. Giltner and Dr. Lyman were authorized to attend the meeting of the Live Stock Sanitary Association in Chicago, December 2nd to 4th, with transportation expenses paid.

On motion of Mr. Beaumont, Dr. Giltner and Dr. Hallman were authorized to attend the annual meeting of the Indiana State Veterinary Medical Association at Indianapolis, Indiana, without expense to the college. Dr. Hallman was also authorized to attend a meeting of the Ohio State Veterinary Medical Association at Columbus in December without expense to the college.

Attention having been called by the president to a communication from the American Council of Education in reference to scholarships for French girls in American colleges, the following resolution was adopted on motion of Mr. Beaumont:

"Resolved, That a scholarship of the value of $500,00 per annum be established for French girls, the recipient to be appointed as indicated in the communication above referred to."

On motion of Mr. Doherty, Mr. Burton W. Householder was authorized to attend the International Live Stock Exhibition at Chicago with transportation expenses only paid by the college.

The president informed the board that he had received a communication from Mr. Hoover to the effect that on account of the ending of the war, Mr. Blustee's services would not be needed longer in the food administration.

The president also informed the board that President Kenyon L. Butterfield of Massachusetts had requested Prof. Eustace to go to France with him in the Army Overseas Educational work as specialist in horticulture.

On motion of Mr. Graham, the communication from Prof. Halligan in regard to landscape gardening work for other state institutions was referred to Prof. Eustace for recommendation.

On motion of Mr. Doherty, the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, That the Graham Horticultural Experimental Station be placed in charge of the professor of horticulture who is the administrative officer of the Horticultural Department, and that it be administered as an integral part of the experiment station work of the college."

On motion of Mr. Woodman, Mr. Graham was appointed as a committee of the board upon the Graham Horticultural Experimental Station, to advise with the administrative officers as to the policies to be pursued.

On motion of Mr. Beaumont, the admission of the following veterinary students from the Grand Rapids Veterinary College, was approved: Vern A. Benedic, Albert E. George, Alfred J. Gregg, Harold G. Hock, William V. Hopkins, Ellsworth E. Joy, Albert C. Masten, George K. Needles, John Periolat, Raymond Rawlings, August H. W. Stewert.

NED LACEY, '14, WRITES FROM ITALY.

Ned W. Lacey, '14, who is a lieutenant of air service, stationed in Italy, wrote the following letter to Don Francisco, '14, on September 20:

Feeling that the letter was too good to keep, Don sent it on to the Record, after editorial elimination of certain of the more intimate details:

Sept. 26, 1918,

Como, Italy.

My Dear Don:

It makes my heart ache for humanity a morning like this when I think of the poor devils that may hit the sod today. It's the July 4th of Italy and I acquired a few days of leave and came up here on the lake. It seems like God's own garden. It must have been in a place like this that we became liberal minded. Yes, our northern homes have beauty in America, but it is so different from the quiet romance of these rough hills, the lakes and open country.

And here I sit back of a pot of "black" coffee.

I don't know as we really do have all the news on our side; at least it might fuss up "Gen'l-Jack's" plans if we become liberal minded. Yes, our boys have been in on some of this business and suffered but little more than a sad case of "cramps." I came in for my dose of sedative too. These boys that manipulate the "slip-stick" back of the big guns know something of mathematics. They sure have been doing things in the west and "gossip" says that the American lads are going after this fighting like a duck to water. I guess

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we are all going to hand it to Pershing before this business is over. I am sorry that I know so little of his previous history, for it is interesting to follow a man like that.

The Austrian drive was a very well planned affair and they sure had the stuff when they started to push, but—but—but. The way these little runts came back at them is about the greatest piece of work the war has seen. The Austrians were good but Diaz had a few tricks too and he sure pulled 'em. The Italian Arditi, armed with a curving knife and a bunch of hand grenades, has proven that it takes more than a high-powered "gat" to take a trench.

My knowledge of Italian history is poor and I don't know just what happened on the 20th of Sept. It's the founding of their new nation and I guess old "Garibaldi" had his hand in it. There is a review at every post near here and this afternoon there is a great water carnival here on the lake. It looks as though four of us were going to represent the U. S. A. in a four-man shell race—and I ask you, what do I know about a shell? It's a 2,000-meter pull and I haven't pulled anything but a pipe for six months.

Over here everything runs to W. J. Bryan's fruit. The hills around us are terraced nearly to the top. Can you think of an American doing things like that? They use but little water and that to run under bridges. In the little villages on the lakes the women have small washing platforms where they do the family laundry and even in the best barber shops you can't get a warm shave even if you pay for it.

Last night we were guests at a dance. My Italian is rotten and it is sure fun when you get out and try to talk. As for verbs I don't use 'em. Outside of that everything goes fine, for my vocabulary is fair and I can understand most all of it.

Perhaps the greatest treat I have had was seeing the opening of the Localo Grand Opera in Milano. We saw both Aida and Mose and the technique was magnificent. Every one was out and these women are sure a million dollars in their fine clothes. Not detracting from our own women at all—only it's different.

Well, old boy, it is nearly time for dinner and the old Waterman is going dry.

Best regards always,
Yours,
Ned W. L.

Alumni Notes

Anna Rutherford is dietician and stewardess for Pennoyer Sanitarium, Kenosha, Wis.

Lieut. Loren V. Williams, "enjoyed" a number of the earthquakes which recently disturbed Porto Rico. "Last week we experienced a very disastrous earthquake which destroyed many of the coast towns, and caused a large number of deaths among the civil population," he writes in a letter dated Oct. 18. "The first shock came at about 10 a. m. on Oct. 10, and at intervals of about six hours other severe trembles occurred, all of them causing some damage. The rescue work is progressing, with the Red Cross doing wonderful work under existing conditions."

A pithy missive from Pvt. G. Ray Warren, Base Hospital No. 35, A. P. O. No. 780, A. E. F., dated Oct. 16, says, "While in England I saw 'Stub' Van Alten and Catheart of '15. We crossed the Channel together and while on the boat met 'Bill' Kelly, the little freckled-faced Irishman, of '16. I understood that Lieut. Leavitt, '17, was also in our camp in England, but I couldn't find him. We are located now near the center of France, at a large base hospital. Ever since I have been in the service my work has been in the laboratory. Not long ago, while participating in a glee club concert in a nearby town, I saw Lieut. O. A. Olson, '16, and Lieut. Raven. Lieut. Olson is in charge of the army agricultural work in this district."

J. A. McClintock, Ag, is extension plant pathologist, at Athens, Ga.
Bernice Hales is teaching in Oak Park, Ill. Her address is 15 N. Euclid Ave.

Alton M. Porter is teacher of agriculture in the high school at Fremont, Mich.

Chas. R. Stough is a tool designer with the Wolcott Lathe Co. of Jackson, Mich., and is living at 304 S. Jackson St.

Bernice Hales, whose address is 120 South Beaudry Ave., Los Angeles, Calif., is in training for service as a Red Cross nurse.

Russell L. Lepper, Ag, was doing duty with Co. 19, 1st Office Regt., Camp Joseph E. Johnson, Jacksonville, Fla., on Nov. 15.

Ensign John F. Sheldon gives his address as Paul Jones House, 21 West Fifty-seventh street, New York City, a ding that “owing to my continual shifting around my address is never likely to be correct.”

Lieut. James B. Rasbach, ’17, engineer, is with Battery D, 16th Field Artillery, A. E. F. Mrs. Rasbach writes. Mrs. Rasbach, who was Catherine Carter, with ’18, is residing at the Falkstone Cts., Washington, D. C.

Walter T. Kelly is a flying cadet at Ebert’s Field, Lonoke, Arkansas.

Fred H. Utley, second lieutenant Aviation Section Aeronautics, Pilot’s Barracks, Fort Sill, Okla., Marian W. Read, with, who has been at St. Joseph’s Sanitarium, Albuquerque, N. M., for her health since November, 1917, is gradually recovering.


Wayne Campbell is a private in Co. F, 309th Supply Train, A. E. F. He writes: “Wish I could be back at M. A. C. to finish my course. Hope for a good year for M. A. C.”

Edward J. Savilahti is now sergeant, Co. E, 11th Ammunition Train, Camp Custer, Mich.

Frederick Mack is in the 41st Balloon Co., Camp Morrison, Va. Mack has made seven moves since getting into the service and expects to make the “big one” next.

Open S. A. T. C. to O. T. C. Men.

(Continued from page 4.) C. men are at present in officers camps, or were a few days ago. The new plans for their disposition make it possible for all of them to return to East Lansing if they so desire—with $80 a month and “found.”

(Editor’s note: The effectives of the above order has been largely destroyed by the order which has just come through disbanding the M. A. C. unit of the S. A. T. C. It will be of interest to M. A. C. men in the officers’ camps, however.)