ANNUAL MEET

YPSILANTI MICHIGAN, FRIDAY, MAY 9, 1913

PRESENT FETE

M. A. C. HERE

May Day Dances and Drills to be

Given on the Green

Kinnison and Japanese parasol-castanets and tambourines will be employed.

Farmers Debate Teachers in Normal Hall Tonight

The program for the debate with M. A. C. in Normal Hall tonight follows.

The American Legion, last year's National Champions, will take part in the May Day fete tomorrow.

The program, as given in last week's News, will begin promptly at 4:15 Tuesday afternoon in the natural amphitheater on the high school grounds. The scene of the program can be reached by following the drive-way to the west of the President's residence. Owing to the fact that the field is private, and is used for hay, automobiles and carriages will not be permitted.

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The Normal Civic League met last night. The Ypsilanti-Press was unable to be represented at the meeting, but the hidden details have come down to us. At the present writing, the manager, bald-faced and trembling, has gone up the street. He has been away almost half an hour, and we don't expect him back. By noon, the river will be dragged. For us, there is a big in the back room, and it is loaded. At any rate, we will wait till after dinner.

After a summary of the charges made against the Ypsilanti-Press, it would seem that the staff should move over into the next room and confide its talents to job printing. A man is standing up against our doorway. He has been standing there all morning. Doubtless he is contemplating such a move, and would weary our present quarters are the last long copy boy silently out the back door.

Well, we have been exposed. There is no hope for us. And yet we must continue to get out a paper. It is the decree of fate. The manager is sinking down the street back to the office, making pretty good headway, with a haunted look in his eyes. The arf micro of a back door whence he can get into the restaurant and relax himself in a hidden corner with food-stuff. It hasn't rained yet. Yet there will always be the firm knowledge, that the right and good way would be to resign the throne of our editorial minnows, and go into the Civic League business, where we can discuss things concerning which we know but little with all the emphasis and thorough condemnation of the oldest and most capable critic.

The entire corps of teachers at La- poorly, where U. S. Wilson is an incident, have been re-elected for next year. The most of the corps of Ypsis grads, and their wholesale re-election reflects credit on their Alma Mater as well as on themselves.

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CAMPUS HAPPENINGS

College Calendar

Today—Tennis with M. A. C., 3 p. m.

Tomorrow—Track meet with Albion on football field, 1 p. m. Baseball, 2 p. m.


Tuesday, May 13—May Day Fete.

Flora Richmond, '12, visited college friends Wednesday.

Loren O'Connor entertained guests from Lansing over Sunday.

Hale Robbins entertaining his father, Mr. Walter Robbins of Parma last Thursday.

Dr. L. H. Jones speaks before the Principals' Club of Cleveland, O., Tuesday, May 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Leith and daughter Dorothy of Adrian called on college friends Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Amy Morrin Humans, director of physical training at Wellesley, spent Wednesday in visiting the gymnasium.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Elliott entertaining the Schra at their home on Normal street Thursday evening of last week.

Pete Bowen was in the east for the first of the week looking up several matters relating to gymnasium architecture and equipment.

The Normal high track athletes journeyed to the Adrian meet last Saturday and succeeding in copying several points; Gola getting first in the half mile and Jameson fourth in the mile.

The Pundits met around their round table Thursday evening and listened to the able presentation of the style and philosophy of Charles Altimus Swindors, the last of the Victorias, by Maude Anderson.

The Scientific Society will meet in Room 14 at the Science building Monday evening at 7 p. m. Professor Jef ferson will discuss "Man as the Sum of his Parts," a talk and are looking forward to the time when Miss Adams has promised to give a more detailed account of her visit.

The Normal high baseball team had a strenuous work out Friday and Saturday. The first was with Albion, resulting in a score of 10-1-0, after 12 innings. The second was with Ann Arbor, and was not after 9 innings, resulting in a score of 5-9. Erwin pitched part of the first and the whole of the last game. Augustus pitched the other half of the Wayne game.

Complaint has been made that men desiring to enter the Albion meet have been refused permission to enter. In investigation shows that this charge is true, but that the reason for such action is simply a desire to see to it that no men render themselves liable to inquiry by entering without sufficient training. All the men refused have lacked such training, and if they care to get out and work there is time for them to get into condition for the Michigan meet May 26th.

The Webster Club will close a most successful year of their history with their annual banquet to be held Saturday evening, May 24 in the basement of the Presbyterian church. This completes the thirteenth year of the club's existence, the society being organized in January, 1900, about a year prior to the organization of their rivals, the Lincoln. Prof. McVay has been chosen as toastmaster. A banquet, composed of club members plan to furnish the music for the occasion.

The first bird house on the College lower pole is the product of the Junior manual training artista. It is a fine appearing structure and shows a good deal of careful craftsmanship in the part of the designers and builders. The management of the depart ments is under the direct charge of the Junior executive, Perry Prater, who states that each suit is equipped with a peck of canary seed and a feather duster, with stationary wash tins in the basement. The bird readers of the News are asked to make reservations early.
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FRIDAY, MAY 9

News or Upift, Which?

The Civic League report on the Normal News comprised three parts: (1) it explained why the News is "necessarily stale"; (2) it commend ed the editorials that have appeared in the News; (3) it raised a number of questions for the News editor to think over regarding the make-up and the politics of the paper.

The News editor was present at the reading of the report, and it must be confessed that his pulse beat strangely as he awaited his turn at the hands of the lynx-eyed investigators. His relief was genuine when the paper was let down so gently.

All that the News was accused of was being stale, disseminating slang, using poor judgement in proportioning news, printing material that is more or less useless, neglecting current events and literary masterpieces, and exhibiting a tendency to fail­ ing everything "divinely beautiful," i.e. lack of discrimination.

Further, most of these charges were not made directly but in the form of questions, which leaves the editor free to avoid the charges if he wants to.

The whole series of questions raised by the investigators really go back to the question of what constitutes a newspaper. Is it to give the public what it wants or what the editor thinks the public ought to want? Or a little of both? This is the problem of confronting modern journ­ alism, and professor minds than ours have pondered over the question to no avail. It does seem to us, however, that it is better psychology to satisfy the natural desire of the public for the news—news that is fresh and readable—before beginning im­ proving its taste in literature or any other of the arts. Otherwise, the up­ lift is liable to fail of an audience.

What do you think?
L. G. H.

WASHITENAW

The annual party of the Washitawen County Club was held in the gymnasium last Saturday night. The gym was splendidly decorated in the club colors of purple and white, one feature being a illuminated "Washitawen" on the north wall. One of the numerals played by Fischer's orchestra was "The Hills of Washitawen," sung by Verne Pettit, which proved a de­ cided success. Professor Laird, his pa­ tiotic, and Miss Laird, led the grand march. President and Mrs. McKenny were among the guests. Although the night was warm there was plenty of room and everyone had a very en­ joyable evening.

KAPPA PSI

Last Saturday evening the Masonic Temple was the scene of one of the prettiest, most festive parties of the year, when the Kappa Psi sorority held their thirteenth annual formal dance, in a veritably garden of roses. The hall room was adorned with gar­ lands of the flowers, in pink, green and white, the sorority colors, while upon the stage, which was transform­ ed into a miniature garden, apple­ blossoms, the sorority flower, clung in profusion to a lattice fence. Above the gate of this garden the illuminating Kappa Psi monogram was suspended. The guests, about two hundred in number, were greeted by Miss Esther Smith, president of the sorority, Mrs. D. L. Quirk, Jr., Miss Poster, and Mrs. Gardner, the patronresses, and Miss Halton, honorary member. Miss Esther Smith and Edward McKay led the grand march. Fischer's orchestra furnished the music and mint fresses was served during the evening.

Many alumni of the sorority were here for the party from out of town; and dinner was given for them at the sorority house before the dance, at which covers were laid for 25.

The out of town guests were: Ed­ ma Brown, Ionia; Neenah Wilson, Leach Livingston, Bella McCall, Lva J. Smith, Florence Whitehead, Mr. and Mrs. William Fletcher, Detroit; Ruth Tregent, Pontiac; Rossa Parlee, Dearborn; Virginia Pierce, Lansing; Jeanette Rosany, and Katherine King­ sley, Detroit; Margaret Evans, Ann Arbor; Harrie Pettit, Port Huron; Minnie Carney, Gunten; Misses Hornberger, Bl. Claire; Robert Byus and Milton Beardsfield, Port Huron.

STUDENTS' PARTY TOMORROW

There will be a students' party in Har­ nanck Hall tonight, charac­ terized by a member of the faculty. Excellent music and fine food.

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BIRD TRIP

Over 200 Students and Teachers Take Early Morning Hike

Considerably more than two hundred students of the Normal College gathered at the Science Building early last Friday morning for a "Bird Trip." Coffee was served in the laboratory at five o'clock and the start was made at five thirty. The party was divided into eleven "personally-conducted" groups, the leaders being Mayor Norton, President McKenney, Dr. Smith, and the Maris, Phelps, Goddard, Daniel, Boell, Gardner, Downey, and Ella Clark. Each party covered a different territory, including Recreation Park, the campus, and most of the fields between the college and the railroad.

The great success of the trip was measured by the number of "new" birds seen, but by the increased power of observation and the inspiration of the morning, but nevertheless there was a pleasant rivalry as to which group would bring down the most "game." President McKenney's party making the record in this respect with twenty-four different species.

The total number of species identified was fifty-one. We give the list complete for the benefit of those interested:

Killdeer, Bob White, Mourning Dove, Pigeon Hawk, Chick-a-dee, Hawk (Cooper's Hawk), Downy Woodpecker, Biquckett, Fjecker, Chimney Swift, Kingbird, Phoebe, Pewee, Blue Jay, Crow, Bobolink, Cowbird, Red-winged Blackbird, Rusty Blackbird, Bronzed Grackle (Cross Blackbird), Meadow Lark, Baltimore Oriole, Am. Goldfinch, English Sparrow, Vepery Sparrow, Say's Phoebe, Field Sparrow, White-throated Sparrow, Chipping Sparrow, Purple Martin, Cliff Swallow, Swallow-tailed Kite, Yellow Warbler, Brown Thrasher, Black-throated Green Warbler, Myrtle Warbler, Magnolia Warbler, Black-throated Sparrow, Cerulean Warbler, Yellow-throated Warbler, Brown Thrasher, House Wren, Catbird, White-breasted Nuthatch, Golden-crowned Kinglet, Robin, Bluebird, Thrush (sp.), Nobody knowing nicely out there. He is superbly here. He is super." President McKenney's party making the record in this respect with twenty-four different species. The total number of species identified was fifty-one. We give the list complete for the benefit of those interested:

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FINE MEETING OF CIVIC LEAGUE
Library Work Exemplified in Dramatic Form; Newspapers Discussed

Monday evening the Civic League gave the second of a series of pro-
grams showing the results of their investigations of problems of public
interest. The meeting was given over to reports on the two newspapers, the
Ypsilanti Press and the Normal News, and the three libraries of the city.
The latter report was given by means of a playlet acted out by five
young ladies, the Muses Bard, Van Wykland, Beaughtar, Chamberlaine and
Vomatax.
The Motes represented Miss Vomatax
as desiring to start a library at
Grass Lake, and coming to the other
young ladies for advice. Each one
 gave her own experience, and finally
decided that the best way to raise the
required money was by taxation. Dur-
ing the conversation, the work of the
State Library Commission was ex-
plained, also Mr. Andrew Carnegie's
method of donating libraries.
The young ladies told of the valuable service rendered by different
libraries, such as conducting story-
hours for children, circulating bundles
of books to shut-ins, and buying books
written in foreign languages for the
use of the factory people who read
English with difficulty.
The entertainment was given in a
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