



Navy Scatters Jap Fleet In Giant Battle

Australian Reports List 18 Enemy Ships Sunk, 4 Damaged

Curtin Tells Nation to Stand Fast

By TRANSRADIO PRESS
American and Japanese warships and warplanes smashed at each other on the shallow Coral sea tonight, with the gates to Australia as the prize of victory in the greatest sea battle of the war.

Chinese Turn Back Japs On Burma Road

CHUNGKING, May 8 (TP)—Japan's plan for getting into China by the back door was said to have suffered a severe check tonight when reinforced Chinese armies turned the tables on the invading force on the Burma road.

The Japs were hit head-on while trying to flank the Chinese at a point northeast of Chefoo, about 25 miles inside the Chinese frontier.

One Japanese column of about 1,000 men was wiped out. Another column lost about half its effectives.

The Japanese claimed, however, to have occupied Langling and Ghama. Another small force of Japanese entered the port of Akyab, on Burma's west coast.

Colonel Ting admitted that military plans had been disarranged by the rapidity of the Japanese drive through Burma. He declared, however, that the problems of defense would be simplified when the fighting moved back to the mountains.

Said Colonel Ting: "Such a road is easily defended or broken down, while the valleys below are practically impassable."

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ROTC May Establish Signal Corps Here

Only Ag Board's Approval Lacking

By George Herbert
The State Board of Agriculture, at its regular meeting May 21, will be asked to approve the establishment of a ROTC signal corps unit at Michigan State, Pres. John A. Hannah revealed yesterday.

Queried by the war department on the possibility of adding such a corps to the present five ROTC units of State, the faculty approved its establishment at a meeting Thursday afternoon.

Approved by the board, the signal corps unit will train 80 basic students, 40 freshmen and 40 sophomores, and approximately 40 in the advanced classes, 20 in each.

The establishment of a signal corps would be the second R. O. T. C. addition in recent months. A quartermaster training unit was installed at the beginning of this term.

"This will be another chance for men to receive officer training and stay in college," Hannah said.

Other facilities action at Thursday's meeting included the approval of two new courses, both of which will become effective at the start of next fall term.

"Celestial navigation," mathematics 151, will be an addition to a navigation series which already includes spherical trigonometry and navigation. The other approved course was "lumber merchandising," to be taught by the forestry department.

Dean L. C. Emmons' committee, which has been studying the problem of complimentary tickets to student parties, did not report back to the faculty.

OSD Reveals Probable Date For First Campus 'Alert'

By PHIL MOLLOY
Plans are not as yet completely worked out for the OSD's campus alert to take place about June 1 or 2, chairman Dick George said yesterday.

George emphasized that this will not be a blackout, but rather a preliminary test to give students enrolled in defense courses an opportunity to apply practically their classroom work.

At the same time the alert will provide beneficial training, in that in the event of an actual air-raid, a coordinated system will have been fairly well established, George said.

The plan, as worked out to date, will involve the setting up of a control center to which will be phoned all incidents which air raid wardens and auxiliary police cannot handle. It is probable that incidents will take place purposely to give civilian defense workers as much practical experience as possible.

Areas will be designated later, and no traffic will be stopped. The hours of the alert will occur between 7 and 9 p. m., and will not include any part of East Lansing except the campus.

Composing the committee in charge are Stanley Sutherland, A. S. '44; Ira Korkigan, Ag '45; Betty Gale Wells, A. S. '44; Harriette Ysberg, L. A. '42; Gloria Crawford, L. A. '44; Robert Mackey, L. A. '44; Muriel Mills and Don McGaw, L. A. '42. The committee is to be advised by the campus police department.

Sonja Henie Stars In Series' Gratis Movie Tonight

The musical comedy "Sun Valley Serenade," centered at a world famous winter vacation spot, will be the motion picture for the sixth in this term's World Adventure series to be given tonight at 8 in the Auditorium, Prof. S. E. Crowe, director of the series announced yesterday.

The movie, which stars Sonja Henie and John Payne, and features Glenn Miller, and his famous band, will replace "Northwestern Mounted Police," originally scheduled for tonight's show. Crowe stated Students will be admitted upon presentation of coupon books.

The plot centers around a "refugee" from Norway, to be adopted by Miller's band for publicity, who turns out to be Sonja Henie.

Summer school is a fine idea, in the opinion of Benny LaSarge, L. A. '43, who said, "I'm going to attend summer school myself so that I may graduate next winter term. The sooner I'm out of school the better since I believe it's more important to have trained women working than women in training for work."

RAF and Reds Report Air Victories

Bomb Convoy And Dieppe German Drive Stopped

LONDON, May 8 (TP)—The RAF topped off its spring offensive against enemy shipping today by making two attacks on a German convoy of 12 ships off the Dutch coast, while the Russians announced bitter air fighting in the north.

The British attack was made by Hudson bombers of the Canadian air force squadron. Four ships were set afire.

The RAF made another attack on railway installations around the French town of Dieppe, on the channel coast. No enemy fighters appeared to oppose the bombing and all British aircraft returned home in safety.

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Chorus, Orchestra to Give Combined Recital Tuesday

By Louise Roth

Climaxing a term and a half of practice, the college chorus and orchestra will present a joint concert under the direction of Prof. Alexander Schuster and Dr. Edwin Stein on Tuesday, May 19, in the college auditorium, at 8 p. m.

Although both the chorus and the orchestra have formerly presented spring concerts, this year's event is history-making in that it combines both organizations to present one outstanding program.

Included in the program will be a premiere performance of Prof. H. Owen Reed's "Overture 1940." The premiere of Bach's "Prelude and fugue in C minor from Suite No. 5 for Violoncello," which has been arranged for full orchestra by Gomer Llewellyn Jones, instructor in music, will also be played. Jones composes under the name of Llewellyn Gomer.

The chorus, accompanied by the orchestra, will delve into the liturgy of the Roman Catholic church in singing a portion of Mozart's "Requiem" mass. In contrast to the "Requiem," the chorus will also present "Western Cowboy," the second movement of Roy Harris' contemporary "Folk Song Symphony."

Choral Group To Perform On Tuesday

The spring concert of the a cappella choir will be presented under the direction of Dr. E. E. Stein in Fairchild theater Tuesday, at 8 p. m.

The choir, which will be making its first campus appearance under the direction of Doctor Stein, will present a varied program ranging from the 16th century music of Palestrina to the contemporary composition, "Heavenly Light," by Kopylow-Wilbousky.

Highlighting the concert presented by the 40 member choir will be "Alleluia," a modern religious composition by Randall Thompson.

Variation will be added to the program with solos by soprano Virginia Siegmund, L. A. '43, and tenor Robert Arendtsort, L. A. '43. These two students and the tenor Marvin Dean, L. A. '42, will also sing solos in the choir numbers.

Axis Nationals Leave

RIO DE JANEIRO, May 8 (TP)—Two Brazilian ships and one Portuguese vessel will leave Rio harbor tonight with 432 Axis nationals for Lisbon. For the present, the German and Italian ambassadors and the Hungarian representatives are remaining in Brazil, but they also will be exchanged at Lisbon at a later date.

Students Back Summer School

Both Men and Women Want to Do Part, Survey Shows

By ELLEN STEGENGA
"College students should take advantage of summer school to finish their education and take over their duties as citizens in a country at war," was the consensus of opinion among State students in a survey conducted among students yesterday.

Anyone Patriotic Who Wants It Can Have It, McDonel Says

The World War Legion, a German model, which has stood back of the Music building for many years now poses a real problem for college officials, according to Sec. Karl J. McDonel.

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The Nazi objective was to hurry Allied convoys headed for Murmansk and other Arctic ports, and at the same time to close Soviet communications from the Arctic down to Moscow.

The Germans tried repeated raids on Murmansk, but failed to make any decisive breakthrough to bomb the Arctic port. Thirty Nazi planes were shot down and 20 damaged in a two-day battle.

Dances with no admission may be held on this campus, Hal Crumley, president of Men's council, announced yesterday. Through the war stamp headquarters in Detroit and Lansing, it may be possible to arrange dances for which the purchase of a certain number of war stamps will take the place of admission, he explained.

Bands such as LeRoy Smith, who played for several winter term dance dances, are available at no charge to play for these dances.

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Some campus fraternity is going to receive one of the last trophies to be delivered before war cancellations.

Close Art Mitchell, chairman. When officers of Alpha Phi Omega, sing sponsor, read that trophies had been cancelled on the priorities list, they began to worry. But the trophy arrived next day, one of the last.

Musical Athletes
Many bath charms to soothe the "stomach." At least that was the general idea behind the "stomach" gift to the "stomach" hospital. According to the "stomach" Ag. 43, president of the organization, the athletes were given the gift for the general use of the hospital.

One-Family Blitz
NEW YORK, May 8 (TP)—It's a question whether even the most experienced have had the situation as bad yesterday at the "stomach" hospital. The "stomach" family knocked over a burglar broke into the "stomach" and stole \$10.

Rough 'n Tough
A detective James Brown was called to answer the call to the "stomach" and was mistaken for the burglar and set upon by the "stomach" tribe. Before he went down under blows from the "stomach" tribe, Brown shot John "stomach" to a dead end, to the "stomach" thinking he was the "stomach" at the back door. Detective Andrew McElligott met "stomach" and shortly afterward Patrolman Bert Holzberg was slugged over the head by "stomach" when he tried to get into the window to clear the "stomach."

North Hall Note
Ray Lamphear, Michigan State graduate of '32 and former manager of North hall, was one of 36 men sent by the Quartermaster Corps of Camp Lee, Va., to the American Institute of Baking in Chicago according to word received by E. G. Foster, Union manager. Lamphear has been a first lieutenant in the army since his induction in February. The course lasts six weeks, and Lamphear will leave Chicago May 16 for an assignment to an unknown destination.

Losers, Weepers
CHICAGO, May 8 (TP)—Most losing bettors usually complain that their horses were figuratively "left in the post," but the real thing happened today in the fifth race at Sportsman's park.

Uncle Walter
The 3 to 1 favorite, "Uncle Walter," was actually left at the starting gate while the rest of the field swept around the half-mile oval. The track refund of all wagers made on Uncle Walter after a chorus of boos greeted the finish. Officials said Starter Bert Dickerson pressed the barrier while Uncle Walter was behind the gate. The horse was allowed behind the barrier and made the effort to move out.

Nazi Fliers Retaken
OTTAWA, May 8 (TP)—Two German air officers who escaped from an Ontario internment camp were captured today in a suburb of Ottawa. The war prisoners, Lieutenants Wagner and Pfundner, were taken out of the internment camp Tuesday.

LATE FLASHES FROM TRANSRADIO PRESS

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Australia, May 9 (TP)—Fighting in the five-day naval battle in the Coral sea was temporarily at an end today with the rout of the Japanese, who suffered heavy losses. The Japanese lost at least 17 ships, of which 13 were warships.

MOSCOW, May 8 (TP)—Soviet authorities charged early Saturday that the Germans have used poison gas on the Crimean front. The Russian report said that on May 7, in operations on the Crimean front, the Germans used several mines filled with poison gas.

WASHINGTON, May 8 (TP)—A third American merchant vessel was listed by the navy today as the victim of a torpedo off the Atlantic coast. Survivors of the vessel—described as a medium-sized ship—have been listed at a Caribbean port.

The navy previously had announced the torpedoing of two medium-sized American merchantmen in the Caribbean area, and the additional attack brought to 100 the number of Allied ships torpedoed or sunk by Axis submarines off the American shorelines.

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TIME TABLE

What - When - Where

TODAY—
World Adventure series 8 p. m., college auditorium
TOMORROW—
Sonata recital, 4 p. m. Music auditorium
Newman Discussion club 4:30 p. m., org. rm. 2, Union
Hillel foundation, 7 p. m. Spartan room, Union
MONDAY—
Sem. Bot. 4 p. m. Botany lecture room
S.W.L. 5 p. m. Org. rooms 12, Union
Off-campus ind. women 7:30 p. m., org. rm. 1, Union
Christian Fellowship, 7:30 p. m. Room 206, music building
L.F.C. 9 p. m. Org. room 2, Union

Carillon Program
The Sunday program of carillon music by Wendell Westcott, college carillonneur, will begin at 3 p. m. The following selections are included:
America
Andante from Surprise
Symphony
Agnus Dei
Gavotte from Mignon
Thomas
Hymns:
Lead, Kindly Light
Abide with Me
Ein Feste Burg
Tango
Habanera
Spanish Dance
Moskowsk
Star-Spangled Banner

Victory Speakers Turn Minute Men
All Lansing theaters, cooperating with the college Speaker's Bureau, will sponsor a "Minute Man" war bond sale between the 5 p. m. and 9 p. m. change of shows. Bureau director Paul Bagwell said yesterday. During intermission several student speakers will present three-minute speeches which are to prepare the public for a house-to-house bond selling campaign the following week, Bagwell said.

Goes to Philadelphia
W. A. Davenport, head of the B and G department, has left to attend the annual national meeting of the Association of Superintendents for Colleges and Universities in Philadelphia from Monday to Friday next week.

Spartan Nine Meets Fort Custer Today

Soldiers Feature Ex-Big Leaguers

The Spartan baseball team gets its first taste of big time when it meets the Fort Custer nine on Old College field this afternoon at 3:00. The army camp's roster includes several ex-major leaguers and outstanding amateur players around the state.

Capt. John Kobs will try to stop the soldiers with his No. 1 hurler, Al Jones, who was scheduled to start in the second game against Lower which was a rather unimpressive performance. Jones' record so far has been rather unimpressive, winning only two and losing the other two. He is expected to put in a good game.

Mason '2' Wins In Dorm Loop Slugfest, 11-9

By DICK JANKOSKA

In an old-fashioned slugfest in which they scored nine runs in the first inning, Mason 2 edged out Abbot 10 Thursday night, 11 to 9, to take undputed possession of first place in block 3.

This was the third consecutive victory for the Mason team. Abbot scored five runs in the first inning but fell just short of tying the game in the last frame. Pete Bayer was the slugger star for the Masons with two doubles and a triple, while Dick Johnson and Larry Flynn each collected two hits for the winners.

In losing out Mason 6, 3 to 2, Abbot 12 devoted its scoring to the first and last innings, getting three in the opening stanza and two in its final act.

Pitcher Ed Torga of Abbot allowed only five hits while Roger McCartney held the winners to seven safe plays. A walk, two singles and a double accounted for the three runs that led in the first inning.

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Spartan Trackmen Are Underdogs in Notre Dame Meet

By BILL MADDOX

With the odds against them, the Spartan trackmen will invade the Notre Dame cinderpaths this afternoon seeking to lift their intercollegiate outdoor record above the 500 mark for the season.

Their loss to Penn State last week nullified a win over Purdue earlier in the month. The Irish, so far as figures go, have the advantage of strong distance runners and weight artists to offset the aspirations of the Spartans.

Notre Dame has no one-man team as did Penn State last week, but they do have a number of individual stars. The brightest is Keith O'Rourke, only man to beat State's Al Milne this year. He did this at the Drake Relays.

Should take sprints. In the sprints, the Irish can rely on Gibson although State's Bob McCarthy and Hugh Davis are expected to score heavily. Notre Dame is quite weak in that department.

Progressing to the distance events, the Irish grow stronger. In the 440 George Schiewe will wear the South Bend colors in a good performance. Dale Kaulitz is the only man on the Spartan roster who can measure up to Schiewe. The mile will see a real Irish-



Frish track prospect watches Al Milne clear the bar in a recent practice. Milne will be a big gun in the Irish meet today.

TODAY'S LINEUP

STATE	FORT CUSTER
Nelson, 1b	Jankoska, 2b
Picciotto, 2b	Anderson, 3b
Wy Davis, if	Pala, 3b
Wells, 3b	Silvestri, 3b
Johnson, 3b	Johnson, 3b
Fitzsimmons, cf	Law, lf
Anderson, ss	Whitt, cf
Conk, if	Whitt, cf
Jones, of	Leonard, p

Softball Race Tied in Women Intramurals

By JEANNE BURTON

With undefeated teams on top in all three groups and a week to be played, the women's intramural softball contest is becoming a half of the tournament still closes every day.

In group 1, North Williams and Sigma Kappa are leading. Williams has won four games and Sigma Kappa has won two. Kappa Alpha Theta, Kappa Delta and Alpha Phi are trying to displace the leaders.

In group 2, the defending champion, West Mayo, is working hard to keep its place at the top and hold on to last year's title. Only two other teams are left in the group, Alpha Xi Delta and Alpha Chi Omega.

Another close battle for the top is being fought in group 3, where two undefeated teams are battling for team honors. Independents have won three games and North Hall has taken two. Following the leaders are Kappa Kappa Gamma, Chi Omega and South Williams.

In this week's games, AOP defeated Kappa Delta in a very close contest for Tuesday, but dropped to North Williams Thursday. The Independents outdistanced Chi Omega to win 14 to 10. Wednesday's games were rained out and will be played next Friday.

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Scrimmage Closes Spring Football

By JEANNE BURTON

This afternoon at 2 p. m. the spring football squad will go on display for the last time with an intersquad game in the stadium. Although the attendance has dropped off considerably during the past week, the coaches are hopeful that the boys will be ready to go this afternoon.

There are several players who will not be able to participate in the scrimmage due to injuries. Leading this group is Vincent Mize, who has been injured since the first Saturday of practice.

The remaining players who are nursing their bruises are Bill Bardsley, Ed Menotti, Elbert Stark, Jim True and Parze Christensen. There is a possibility that Christensen and Menotti will be ready tomorrow. Bob Fishman is still hobbling from an ankle injury but he will see action tomorrow.

After looking at a portion of the moving pictures of last Saturday's scrimmage the coaches are seeking better timing on the assignments and cutting down on the penalties.

The lineup for today's game have not as yet been announced by Coach Barnhart.

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MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

By TRANSMEDIA PRESS

In the first of 16 ball games played for the benefit of service relief societies, the Brooklyn Dodgers took a close 7-6 win from the New York Giants. The Dodgers had to wait until the seventh inning when Doll Camilli belted out a homer to sew up the game.

Whit Wyatt was credited with the win, but he had to be relieved by Bob Chipman, who in turn gave way to Hugh Casey. Casey finished the hit and saved it for Wyatt. Chip Milton started for the Giants and was the loser.

In the other National League games, Vince DiMaggio hit a homer that helped the Pittsburgh Pirates to their 6-4 victory over the Chicago Cubs. Truett Sewell was the winning pitcher. Johnny Schmitz, the first of three Cub pitchers to see service, was the loser.

Homeruns by Ernie Slaughter and Ray Sanders in the sixth inning gave the St. Louis Cardinals their 3-2 triumph over the Cincinnati Reds. Lonnie Warneke was the winning hurler, holding the Reds to eight hits. Elmer Riddle, the starter for the Reds, was the loser. Clyde Shoen followed Riddle to the mound in the eighth.

Both of the Reds' runs were homers. Ray L. Mambo hit his in the second and Frank McCormick belted one in the sixth.

Only one American League game was scheduled and it was a beautiful pitching duel between Charley Wagner of the Boston Red Sox and Phil Marchildon of the Athletics. Marchildon himself started off the 2-run rally in the third that sewed up the game 2-1 for the A's.

State Golfers Take on OSU

By JEANNE BURTON

Michigan State's golf team faces probably the stiffest competition it will run up against this season when the Spartans meet Ohio State this morning at 9. The doubles teams will tee off at that time with the singles at one this afternoon on the Walnut Hills country club links.

It is certain that the Spartan linksmen will run into trouble during this meet because the Buckeye mashie-wielders are one of the best teams in the middle west and the Big Ten, having defeated the University of Michigan, last year's runner-up for the Conference championship.

Ralph Kortege, Joe Watson, George Busch, George Zimmerman, and Phil Goodrich composed the five-man team, the same that defeated the Detroit Titans last Tuesday. Jim Davis, Tom Willis, or Winford Barnum will complete the squad.

Ohio State retains five veteran members of last year's team. Seniors Bill Gilbert and John Stecker are returning with two years of experience behind them. Juniors Ed Reinhard, Melvin Sulser and Bob Karapfer have tasted intercollegiate competition last year.

Together with these veterans, who arrived last night in order to begin early this morning, will be Charles Larns, Alan Nunn, and Louis Rankin, sophomore reserves who will back up the starters.

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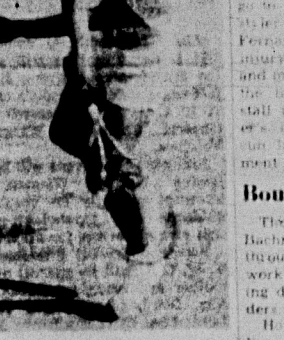
State Beats Illini In Tennis Match

By JEANNE BURTON

(Special to the State News.) CHAMPAIGN, Ill., May 7.—The Michigan State netters won their fifth victory of the season today when they defeated the University of Illinois, 5 to 4. This victory tied up the inter-school series at two games each.

Capt. Frank Berman, Bill Maxwell, and Roger Cesna were winners in the doubles play in the hard fought match. Although the other Spartans, Earl May, Herb Hoover, and Jim McGraw, were defeated, they went down only

Net Captain



Frank Berman, who led the Spartan tennis squad in its recent win over Illinois, the Spartan captain has been playing outstandingly all season.

after close matches. Berman and Jim McGraw teamed up as second doubles and came through with a victory in a tight three set affair. The third doubles of Cesna and Herb Hoover completed the State scoring for the afternoon when they won in two sets 6-4, 6-3.

Summary of University of Illinois matches: Singles: Berman (S) def Gates (I) 6-1, 6-4; Van Sprockelman (I) def May (S) 6-4, 6-2; Maxwell (S) def Bakely (I) 6-0, 7-6, 6-2; Lettberg (I) def Hoover (S) 6-3, 7-5; Cesna (S) def Clapper (I) 6-6, 6-2; Pic (I) def Melton (S) 6-3, 9-7; Doubles: Lettberg and Van Sprockelman (I) def Maxwell and May (S) 6-4, 6-2; Hoover and Melton (S) def Gates and Bakely (I) 6-1, 6-2; Cesna and Hoover (S) def Clapper and Pic 6-1, 6-2.

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Squibs Inside Sports - -

By Tom Riordan

SPARTAN SPORTS' SQUIBS—With everybody getting into physical condition due to the international situation, students are once again thinking about losing weight. So far as we know champion weight loser is basketball star Jeay Gerard, who shed 12 pounds during the Notre Dame game last winter.

Capt. Ben ValAlstyne has found a pal for giant center Fred Stone, who stretches 6 feet 6. He is the pivot man from last winter's frosh five and is four inches taller than Stone.

Van will also have a second edition of the original Gary gang next year in our graduates from Horace Mann high, Indiana. If they prove as capable as the original gang, Ben will have another premium of three-year hardwood insurance.

Tuffy is Best. Most outstanding fraternity baseball player is without a doubt Leland "Tuffy" Merrill, who has pitched four shutouts for the Alpha Gamma Rho nine including a no-hitter. In all, "Tuffy" has allowed his opponents only three hits this season.

Last year he hurled AGR's first championship and ability on the mound, capped off his team's hard-fighting places the defending champs in their favorite spot again this year. Merrill was captain of last winter's very successful wrestling team.

Ambidextrous Bill. When spring comes, Bill Maxwell likes to get out into the sun and play a little tennis. It doesn't matter which hand he uses if he can take on the toughest opposition using either wrist. Being a national collegiate wrestling title holder may have something to do with it, but it sure beats Bill's job among the last netters in captivity and is a regular member of the varsity squad.

New Swim Pilot. Congratulations to newly elected swimming captain for next year, Harold Hetherington, star free stater from Dearborn. The former Ferris description of a recent injury: "I just threw my second and my arm went right along with the ball." Trainer Jack Heppner still is taking the Detroit catcher's injured shoulder under the sun hoping that the treatment can be healed out.

Bounces Back. The other evening, as Charles Bachman was putting his again through its paces he decided to work the boys against the blocking dummies and guard the grid-der from injury.

However, you're inclined to believe the dummies aren't so dumb, and at least one footballer agrees with us. It seems that the blocking bags are of the variety that snap back into place after being hit. Well, our hero came breezing by at the wrong time, not realizing that someone had already

knocked the supposedly innocent dummy down and it was about to right itself.

With years of being pushed around running through its head, the dummy sprang back into position just in time to knock the unsuspecting hero in the head and render him unconscious. Both hero and villain are recovered now and back at work as usual.

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Frosh Frolic Heads Weekend's Parties

Greek Groups Schedule Parties

With a completely formal atmosphere prevailing at all the parties scheduled on campus this week-end, the class of '45 led off last night with the annual Frosh Frolic.

When Nick Chilikos, general chairman, and his guest, Miss Dorothy Mitchell, went to the Frolic, they entered a "kindergarten"—complete with pupil, dance stool, teacher and desk.

Before a huge blackboard covered with figures, Richard Humber and his orchestra played for dancing couples, and Adolph Brun, '45 prexy, escorted Miss Mary Kelly, of Pontiac.

Ag Festivities Limited To Two Days

All Ag week has localized its main "step out" parade tonight, Thursday and Friday, May 14 and 15, rather than stretching them over an entire week as has been the custom in the past, according to Andy Watson, publicity chairman. Highlighting the proceedings will be the Coronation ball Friday night in which the Ag queen for the coming year will be crowned.

On Thursday afternoon, various judging contests will take place in animal husbandry, dairy, farm crops, poultry, and farm management with prizes awarded to the winners. Ag students will be given excuses from classes, only if they are entering these contests, and if the classes they are being dismissed from are A classes. No other dismissal excuses will be accepted.

Ag field day will be held Friday from 8 until 6:30 p. m. with all A2 classes being dismissed after 3. Students and faculty will assemble in a body to attend a general get-together between the pavilion and Dairy barns, west of the Red Cedar.

Baseball games and horseshoe pitching will culminate with a barbecue dinner and a speaker. Drawing the proceedings to a close, will be the Coronation ball that night.

Jack Weaver is general chairman of the field day activities, and Roger Bonine has charge of the coronation.

Faculty Man 'Makes' Historical Magazine

Prof. Russell B. Nye of the college English faculty is the author of an article in the current issue of the Michigan Historical Magazine. "Emerson in Michigan and the Northwest."

The article deals with the lecture tour made by Ralph Waldo Emerson to Michigan in the early 1850.

CHURCH BELLS

Church Activity Fills Schedule For Tomorrow

The names of more than 40 men in the armed forces who are former members of Peoples church and most of whom are former State students will be carried on the last page of the special Mothers' Day bulletin, it has been announced.

The Rev. N. A. McCune's sermon topic for the 11 a. m. service tomorrow is "Defending the Defenders." "Hark, Hark My Soul," by Shelley, will be the anthem, and the quartet's number will be Schubert's "Ave Maria."

Mrs. Helen Sholl, church organist, will play "Wind in the Pines," by Clokey and Mendelssohn's "Sonata II," as the prelude, and "Allegro" by Mendelssohn as the postlude.

CHRISTIAN UNION SING

The Student Christian union will hold a sing at 5 p. m. in the student parlors with a supper from 5:30 to 6 p. m.

Dr. H. J. Stalseth will be this week's speaker in the series "I Believe," for the Fireside hour, which will begin at 6:15 p. m.

Shirley Crisman, L. A. '45, will play two flute solos for the Vesper hour at 7:15. "The Test of a Christian," will be the evening reading.

Student-Christian union members will be hosts to 20 persons from Flint tomorrow. A campus tour and afternoon entertainment have been planned.

DISCUSSES "VISION OF LAMB"

"The Vision of the Lamb" will be Bible study topic at 10 a. m. tomorrow at the Lutheran student service, conducted by Rev. William Young in the State theater. The worship service begins at 10:30 with "Lutheran World Action" as Rev. Young's sermon theme. There will be no student club-meeting tomorrow night.

Sunday activities at St. Thomas Aquinas church include mass at 9 and 11 a. m. and devotions in honor of the Blessed Virgin at 7:30 p. m.

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Campus Residents Faced With Sugar Coupon Problem

Just what will happen to the sugar coupons in the War Ration books which students registered for this week is still somewhat of a puzzle to Union customers and dormitory residents, but C. A. Rosenbrook, college purchasing agent, expects the details to be worked out soon.

Since all sugar used by college-operated organizations is bought through the central agency, a sugar problem different from most organizations exists. So far, the local rationing board isn't sure what students will do with their four sugar coupons.

While no one knows when or how college cafeterias will use ration books, it seems certain that dorm residents will not be able to use sugar coupons for personal purchases. No sugar is being sold this week, and disposal of books will probably be arranged within a few days.

Concert Team To Play Group Of Sonatas

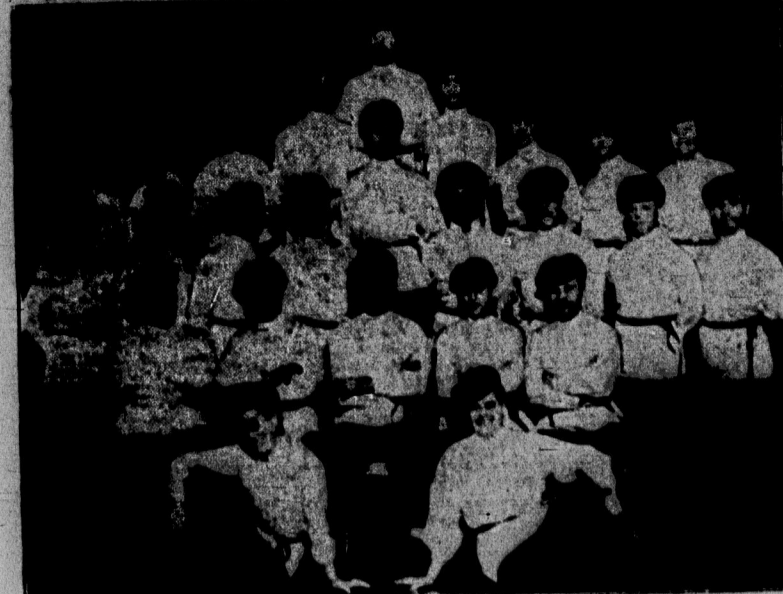
A faculty sonata recital will be presented by Julius Stulberg, violinist, accompanied by pianist Joseph Evans in the music auditorium, tomorrow at 4 p. m.

With a concert team which dates back to high school days, Stulberg and Evans will present a classical program including Mozart's "Sonata in G major," "Sonata in G major" by Beethoven, and Brahms' "Sonata in D minor."

Stulberg and Evans are familiar to concert goers and WKAR listeners as members of the Stulberg trio which they organized in their undergraduate days at M. S. C.

With the exception of one year spent in New York City studying music, Stulberg and Evans have been on the music department faculty since their graduation in 1935.

Appear on Summer Concert Program



The General Platoff Don Cosack chorus, above, will appear here to open the summer concert course June 24. Directed by Nicholas Kostroff, the chorus was founded in 1926 under the patronage of the former president of Czechoslovakia, Dr. Thomas Masaryk. The group has presented over 4,000 concerts of native Russian songs in the past 15 years.

New Home Ec Committee Calls Defense Meets for Seniors

By JOAN MEYERS

Two defense meetings will be called for Home Economics seniors Monday—at 7:15 in the Little Theater, and May 18, by the Student-Faculty committee, according to Dean Marie Dye, head of the Home Economics division.

These meetings are the outgrowth of requests made by graduating seniors who wish to become acquainted with the possibilities of defense work both in their home towns and work situations," Dean Dye said.

The first meeting will be in the form of a panel discussion and will include H. D. Hostman, instructor in horticulture, who will discuss garden projects in defense.

Other speakers are Edna Smith, representing the Home Economics Extension division and Mrs. E. C. Mills of Midland who will demonstrate consumer problems of the State Defense Council. Dean Dye will discuss the state nutrition campaign.

Dean Dye pointed out that since the meeting will be conducted in the form of a panel discussion it is expected to last no longer than one hour.

The second defense meeting to be held May 18 will feature Lt. Col. Harold Furlong as speaker.



By CHARLOTTE WHITTEN

JUDICIARY BOARD

Special permission will be granted for women students to attend the Helen Hayes play May 20 in Lansing providing ticket stubs are presented to the house-mother, according to President Rachel Mason of AWS judiciary board.

EWING CO-OP HOUSE

Ewing cooperative house succeeded in doing Thursday night what most every organization has stopped at wishing to do—sharing three Mr. and Mrs. college officials for dinner.

Their dinner guests included President and Mrs. John Hanfrah, Mr. and Mrs. K. H. McDonel, and Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Linton.

HOME EC CLUB

Elected treasurer of the Michigan Home Economics clubs at the regional convention in Grand Rapids last week was Marian Huston, Home Economics sophomore from Almont.

NEW SECRETARY

Mrs. Don Robertson, formerly Becky Lord, '40, is the new assistant in Dean Conrad's office since her husband has been called into the service. Mrs. Robertson was a former president of Y. W. C. A. and member of Mortar Board.

BATTLE

(Continued from Page 1) continent today to stand fast in the face of the great naval battle raging on the Coral sea.

Said Mr. Curtin: "This naval battle will not decide the war, but it will determine the immediate tactics which will be pursued by ourselves and by our common enemy. I ask the people of Australia, having regard for grave consequences in this engagement, to take a sober, realistic estimate of their duty to the nation."

YW Holds May Morn Affair

About 130 mothers, daughters, and faculty members will attend the annual May Morning Breakfast being held at People's church at 10 a. m. today, according to General Chairman Marguerite Voorheis.

Speaker at the event will be Dr. Regina Westcott Wienan, recognized authority on vocational guidance and psychology, who will give a message for May, 1942.

Past and present presidents of Y. W. C. A. will be present at the mother and daughter breakfast. Mrs. Don Anderson, nee Becky Lord, Mrs. C. C. Hurd, nee Betty Jane Mills, Grace Nibstoll, and Betty Wirth, president for the coming year.

Committees for the breakfast as announced by Chairman Voorheis include: publicity, Enid Cieseman, L. A. '43; invitations, Pat Stone, A. S. '44; programs, Ruth Musselman, L. A. '45; decorations, Jean D'Arcy, H. E. '45; tickets, Marjorie Crandall, L. A. '45.

Other committees are hostesses, Kay Riney, H. E. '44; food, Mary Jean Ford, H. E. '43; food service, Barbara Harris, Vet. '45; tables, Eloise Laarman, H. E. '44 and cleanup, Anne Mandenburg, A. S. '44.

Navy Recruitingmen Will Leave at Noon

Ensign J. H. Bourgon and his staff, of the Navy's Detroit enlistment office, will leave the campus at noon today after a three-day stay at the college hospital, where they have been interviewing and giving physical examinations to those students wishing to become cadets in the Naval Aviation corps.

Notes On Employment

YMCA COUNSELOR OPENINGS

Four to five summer positions are still open for college men at the YMCA Mystic lake boys' camp, according to Carl Throp, director of the Lansing Y.

Most positions are advisory and counselor jobs. Throp said. All interested men should contact Throp at the Lansing YMCA as soon as possible.

Chinese Reveal Guerilla Win

CHUNGKING, May 8 (TP)—Belated reports from southeastern China revealed today a series of Chinese guerrilla raids against Japanese at Canton, on the South China coast.

The first surprise Chinese raid on the major Japanese-held port was reported to have caused great public and confusion in the city.

The attack started when guerrillas hurled bombs into the central office of the telephone building in Canton.

The explosion suspended all communications for a time, and resulted in great confusion. Many Japanese and puppet Chinese troops were killed and wounded in battles with the guerrillas in widely separated parts of the city.

Later, a bomb was hurled into a theater where Japanese soldiers were attending a performance, and more than 100 soldiers were killed.

The reports to Chungking said that the Japanese carried out reprisals for the raids in German fashion. More than 100 Chinese youths, including many girls, were seized as hostages.

Language Classes To Begin Tuesday

Response to the offer of conversational courses in French, German and Spanish was favorably received by students, according to Dick George, OSD chairman.

The total number of students registering was not known, but the Spanish group was highest with 125 registrants. The program is scheduled to get under way next Tuesday night. However, due to the large enrollment in Spanish, it may be necessary to open another section for Spanish students to be held on another night.

La Cofradia, honorary society for students of Spanish, will assist in directing the Spanish classes, according to Marcus Schaal, acting president of La Cofradia.



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