

Final Balloting For Class Officers Set For Tomorrow

Sydney, May 25 (TP)—The armorer's department of the AEF in Australia is engaged to fight in a game something like "Cuttin', Cuttin', Who's Got the Best?"

Home Style The men of Excalibur got the surprise of their lives Saturday night at a dinner given for members and their guests by Kelvin Hebler.

Topping of the meal was a huge livered cake, complete with icing and intricate decorations.

Gas Rationing Conference Is Suggested WASHINGTON, May 25—A conference of oil states governors' representatives of oil companies was proposed by Senator Charles McNary today as a preliminary move to ration gasoline on a national-wide basis.

Chinese Ambush Jap Army At Sinan After Retreat CHUNGKING, May 25—Chinese armies braced themselves for a final fight today after drawing the Japanese into an over-extended position in Chekiang province.

Tax Bill Rests In Committee Till Late June WASHINGTON, May 25 (TP)—The House Ways and Means committee by-passed another hurdle in the 1942 tax bill today with increasing indications that it will be the end and not the middle of June before the vital measure will reach the floor for action.

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By BARBARA HAFFORD Taking 279 out of a possible 300 points, Alpha Chi Omega sorority won the gold PanHellenic sing cup last night in competition with other sororities.

The Alpha Chis, dressed in red, white, and blue and led by Jean Ellen Henkel, sang "Song of the Lyre" and "Parting Song."

Chi Omega, Sigma Kappa Cop Second, Third Places. The Chi Omegas sang "We're Southern Born" and "X With a Holeshot."

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Reserve Corps Plans Revealed by Hannah All details concerning the new Army Enlisted Reserve corps, except the quota allotted to Michigan State college and the date when actual enlistment will begin, were in the hands of Pres. John A. Hannah today.

A dispatch from the war department to Pres. Hannah listed the following qualifications for selection for students to be accepted under the new deferment plan:

- Citizenship in the United States.
● Necessary basic qualities for commissioned officers.
● Physical fitness under existing regulations for entrance in an Officer Candidate school.
● Eighteen years of age and not to become 45 years of age before graduation.
● Citizens of the United States who have not reached 18 will be included in assigned quotas provided they agree in writing to enlisting in the Army Enlisted Reserve corps upon reaching the age of 18.

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Russians Halt Counterdrive At Kharkov Von Bock's Nazis Repulsed With Heavy Losses

MOSCOW, May 25—Powerful Russian and German armies struggled through mud or dust tonight in battles that raged all the way from Murmansk in the north to the area near the Black sea in the south.

The fiercest fighting was in the Southern Ukraine, on what is known as the "Lozovaya bridge" on the Kharkov front.

RUSSIANS READY Russian Marshal Timoshenko expected the Nazi drive and was ready for it.

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Big Sisters to Register Soon Registration and interviews by members of the Big Sister council for all girls wishing to become big sisters...



Jean Granville (left), L.A. '45, and member of the Big Sister council, registers Cordie Morrison, L.A. '41, in a preview of tomorrow's Big Sister registration.

Senior commencement invitations have been received and may be called for in the Union by bringing receipts, according to announcement by Senior Class Pres. Bill Morgan.

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Two Boards, Councils Plan Last Voting Senior Presidency Is Only Contest Not Being Held

By BILL BARCLAY With voting being held by ballots, the officers for three classes and members of two divisional councils will be selected tomorrow...

Term Smoker, Serenade Set By Glee Club The annual spring term serenade and smoker of the Men's Glee Club will be held tonight...

Sample Ballot on Page 2 Student council constitution provides for spring election of class officers...

Lecture board candidates were selected by the existing board, while all other nominations were made by class conventions...

Roosevelt Wires Argentina Heads On Their 'July 4' WASHINGTON, May 25 (TP)—The State department disclosed today that President Roosevelt has cabled both the President and the Acting President of Argentina...

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To Help Catch Up

There is every likelihood that the proposal to lower the minimum draft age to 18 or 19 will be passed by congress.

Arguments for and against will have to await discussion by the legislators. However, there are obvious advantages and disadvantages.

Despite growing optimism in some circles concerning the length of the war, President Roosevelt has repeatedly warned that it will last many years.

To wage war on this scale means that it is absolutely necessary that men be inducted into the armed services as soon as they are fitted for it.

It is no secret that the Axis countries have pursued a policy of military training for all males from the time that they could walk.

If we are to fight them on any basis of equality, it isn't too much to ask that similar training begin for American men from the time they finish high school.

DIARY OF A PIXIE

Frankie urge: to dispose somehow of Lola Stone's portrait of Nan Moore whose pictured eyes remind me of the song ending. "He was just the hired man, and she, the jersey cow."

Soldier Girls

The attitude of Michigan State women that the newly-created Women's Auxiliary Army corps is a matter of not too pressing concern to them is pretty sound.

According to the quota published for Michigan it will be harder to get into the Officers' Training school for women than it is to get into West Point or Annapolis.

Right now there are grounds for suspicion that the corps is just a means of relieving the feeling of volubly patriotic women who got into the way of some of the regular army officers.

However, it can be more than a safety valve. There is a real place for it, especially if this war begins to strain our manpower capacity.

But right now there doesn't seem to be much of a place in the program for college

ARMY PLAN

(Continued from Page 1) a prerequisite to enrollment in the R. O. T. C. advanced course for students who are not already under contract.

235 ENTRIES

Afternoon 1:30-In Outside Horse Show. Ring Across from State Police Barracks. Evenings 7:30-In Jenison Fieldhouse.

If You Ask Me

Generals Play Their Cards Close To the Table. By Tom Greene.

THOSE OF US who are staying at home, at least for a little while, probably don't know how well off we are. That is, in the matter of making sacrifices for war.

BUT DON'T THINK that you are giving up a little sugar just so the soldier boys can have sugar spread promiscuously over all their food.

APPARENTLY THE loss of the sweet stuff isn't undermining the boys' health noticeably. Ken speaks of setting out on a 14-mile hike at night with the comment "I don't notice the walking anymore."

THERE IS A CHORUS of comment around the state that gas rationing is going to ruin Michigan and that it is altogether needless.

ALL THEIR OUTCRIES prove just one thing: Freedom of speech is wonderful. However, when you get right down to it, the men in Washington know considerably more about the actual situation than the man in the street.

THE SAME GOES FOR the "experts" on the war who are yelling for a Second Front. The force which took Madagascar left three months before the event happened.

women. They can do more good right where they are, learning.

A year or two from now—who knows?

THE MODERN GREEKS

The Sorority Sing is now a thing of the past and all's quiet until next year. Interest once again turns to the old pursuits of punning, pledging, and party planning.

VITAL STATISTICS

Two A. E. Pi pins have left the home front. Morris Cooper, A. S. '44, left his in Detroit with Evelyn Cline. ... and his Shilohs of Lansing is wearing the pin of Irving Flemming, Ag. '44.

Sample Ballot

Table listing candidates for various offices: SENIOR, JUNIOR, SOPHOMORE, NO PRESIDENT, PRESIDENT, VICE-PRESIDENT, SECRETARY, TREASURER, UNION BOARD, LECTURE BOARD.

Washington Merry-Go-Round

War Optimism Is Tempered By Realism. By United Features Syndicate.

WASHINGTON—Behind-the-scenes there is a genuinely optimistic feeling about the war picture. A lot of the old discouragement of Pearl-Harbor-Singapore-Java days, then very pronounced backstage, has now evaporated.

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THE MERRY-GO-ROUND. Former Governor Phil LaFollette of Wis., a militant America Firster, is training to be a Captain at an Army Military Police school.

THE MERRY-GO-ROUND. The Marine Corps has quietly abandoned its high-powered drive to recruit star athletes.

THE MERRY-GO-ROUND. A number of Wayne university classes in retailing are being conducted inside Detroit stores this semester in a project to make university vocational training of the most immediate value possible.

THE MERRY-GO-ROUND. University of Texas faculty members have approved a proposal for the teaching of Russian.

INFORMATION

Condensed Capsules Of Timely News

Organization float chairmen will meet today at 7 p. m. in room 3, Union annex. Chairmen should bring float sketches and music plans.

MORTAR AND BALL—The Mortar and Ball saber team will meet at Demonstration hall today and tomorrow at 5 p. m.

CHORUS—Chorus will hold a rehearsal tomorrow at 7 p. m. in the music auditorium. Dr. E. E. Stein announced.

AS.A.E.—The annual AS.A.E. picnic will be held tomorrow at 5 p. m. Members will meet at room 20, Ag hall, to go to Bancroft park.

PERSHING RIFLES—The spring clambake will be held tonight. All members will leave by convey from Demonstration hall at 6 p. m.

A.W.S. POINT LIMIT BOARD—A.W.S. Point Limitations board will meet today at 5 p. m. in the A.W.S. office.

FRENCH STUDENTS—An open meeting of "La Bonne Compagnie" will be held for all students interested in French tomorrow at 7:30 p. m. in room 206, Music building.

SIGMA DELTA CHI—The regular semi-weekly meeting of Sigma Delta Chi will be held Thursday at 8 p. m. at Gene Alleman's home in East Lansing.

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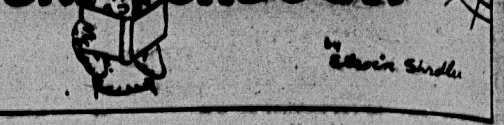
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SKETCHBOOK



SOME OF THE BOYS in one of Ben Van Alstyne's golf classes are a bit unhappy about one member of the class who is on the varsity golf squad and admits he's taking the course to avoid the more difficult required phys ed courses.

NORRIS GROVER, chief WKAR engineer and George Alderton, who doubles as State Journal sports editor and College sports publicity man, turned announcers on a moment's notice at the recent night baseball game.

THE WEIRD-LOOKING plaster and steel contraptions on each side of the band shell are molds. Two new statues have been poured and will be ready for unveiling soon.

HOMER OPLAND; Oric Brigham suggests that maybe the guy who sent your name in to Charles Atlas so you could get all that "I was a 97-pound weakling!" propaganda is your phys ed instructor.

WE DON'T know what connection this has with the International situation, but one East Lansing frat boasts that it consumed "good old gains of straight whiskey at a house party last weekend."

NANCY DUTTON sacrificed her dignity and permanent for the Spartan Sunday by getting all wet. She spent a whole hour in the Red Cedar posing for the June Water Carnival issue's cover.

G. R. WILSON, president of the National Aeronautics Association, is the author of the following "commandments" which were printed in the State Journal recently under the title, "What Can I Do To Help My Country?"

"Thou shalt not harass thy son because he hath not a commission, neither shalt thou make him to feel the service of an enlisted man to be beneath his college education and thy colonial background."

"Thou shalt not get into in his pants to put on a uniform only because thou art vain and hast no courage to see thy row in the place where thou art most needed."

"Thou shalt walk; even thou shalt thou aid to save gas and rubber, thus shalt thou redeem the price of thy giraffe and thy doctor's bill and thy very hide."

AAF Campaign Will Continue This Week

A continuation of the Army Air Force's recruiting campaign on campus will start Thursday in Room 13, Demonstration hall, according to Capt. Ward Estes of the cadet examining board No. 4.

CLASSIFIED ADS

HELP WANTED: SUMMER SCHOOL STUDENTS—Men and women during Bur's State June 18-28. Also for fall summer school session.

LOST: CHI OMEGA PIN—Has name of member on the back. Lost between Music Bldg., Student Union & Administration Bldg., Call Harvey Freeman, St. Campbell, Edward, 794.

FOR RENT: ROOMS For women. Single or full bath. Single and double rooms. Phone 5-7284.

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ROOMS: For women school in the Alpha Phi house. Call 4-1431. 78.

ROOMS: All parts of the city. Approved for students, also for business people. Call 4-1864. Board and Room Exchange. 78.

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Inside Sports

By Bill Maddox
 In spite of war and high water, the 20th annual Michigan R.O.T.C. horse show will begin a four-day stand beginning Wednesday afternoon—but bigger than ever. The show—State's biggest athletic event of the year—has been extended to cover four days instead of the former three. Seventy-two classes of riding, jumping and showmanship are listed.

The run off during the two-day weekend. The R.O.T.C. unit was established in 1922, soon after the show has gone through with ever-increasing popularity throughout the mid-west. Some of the best mounts among the best stables are to be seen at East Lansing for the show.

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 The entry list has been extended to the size of \$6,000. However, it is not the object of the event. Most of the prize money is about \$25 to \$30 which more than reimburses the owner for the entry fee and the charges.

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SAEs Conquer Phi Chi Alpha; Lambdas Win

By RUT KOWALSKY
 Two teams were eliminated from the interfraternity baseball league last evening when they were beaten in contests held to play off block ties.

The Lambda Chi Alpha nine smoked the Theta Chi club out of the fight for the Block 4 crown when they handed them a 20-0 defeat on the varsity grounds. Bob Friendum did a fine job on the mound for the Lambda Chi, giving up but four hits.

Harlan Pitcher and Dick Butch shared the hitting task for the Theta Chi, allowing a total of 16 runs with Lou Smiley and John Schreyer of the Lambda Chi starting the inning with three hits each. Friendum was backed by outstanding field play, his team making no errors. The Theta Chi made four misplays.

The Sigma Alpha Epsilon club kept in the race for the Block 3 championship by turning in a 6-1 victory over the Phi Chi Alpha team. Glenn Debois started on the mound for the SAEs but was relieved by Ed Rappaster, who finished the game. Together they gave up two hits.

Dick Saxton, on the mound for the Phi Chi, allowed the SAEs three hits. Duane Eastman's three-run hit with the bases loaded was largely responsible for the SAEs' victory. George Debois was the high slugger of this contest with two SAE hits.

Wednesday evening the Lambda Chi Alpha nine will battle the Phi Chi Theta nine for the Block 4 crown and the SAEs will tangle with the Sigma Nus for the Block 3 title.

BEG YOUR PARDON
 In the Saturday issue of the State News we erroneously reported that the Sigma Nu baseball team defeated the Phi Chi Alpha team. The opposite is true and the score was 5-2.

Baseballers Down Hurons 4-2; Michigan Thursday

By Tom Riordan
 The Spartan baseball team will get a three-day rest before meeting the University of Michigan Thursday, after a heavy schedule last week. The Kobsmen were able to win only one of their three tilts in the last five days, dropping close ones to Western Michigan and Great Lakes, but coming back to take Michigan Normal Saturday, 4 to 2.

Huron errors in Saturday's contest helped Al Jones to notch up another win, after having plenty of bad luck in the other games he played. Pete Fornari's home run was the big blow in the Spartan win.

The defeat of Normal was the 10th time an opponent had fallen before the Spartans as against the same number of defeats and a tie. The conquering of the Wolverines next Thursday would make an apparent mediocre season a successful one.

PILLERIN BACK AT SHORT
 A few lineup changes seemed to be the spark that helped the Kobsmen come very close to taking Great Lakes, and beating the Hurons. Frank Pellerin is back in the lineup at shortstop and has four hits in the two games he played. He got three of the Spartans' seven blows against the Spartans and also poked one Saturday.

SOPHOMORE PITCHING STAFF
 The rest of the lineup will be the same, with Joe Nelson, Wil Davis and Nick Piccuto in the infield with Pellerin. In case Wolferme-Cauch Ray Fisher starts a left-handed pitcher, Bob Young will be at first instead of Joe Nelson.

Besides Ladue, Wy Davis and Ed Colek will take their regular positions in left and right field respectively. Fisher, former New York Yankee, has done wonders with his inexperienced mound staff, composed entirely of sophomores. Irv Boim, Bill Cain, Mickey Fischman, or Don Smith may get the starting call. Smith is a southpaw and Fisher may want to toss him.

Pistolmen Take 3rd In National Meet After 21 Wins

Topping a perfect season of 21 wins out of 21 intercollegiate matches, the State pistol team won third place in the post-season national field artillery meet for the second successive year, according to word received by Lt. N. D. Henderson, officer in charge of the team.

First and second spots in the national meet, which is open to teams from all schools that have a field artillery R. O. T. C. unit, went to the University of Utah and Colorado State, with team scores of 1381 and 1359. State's team score was 1335.

The members of State's team were Bill Seard, Dick Reiley, Pete Van Valin, Don Hill, and Fred Ziemann. All team members and the coach, Sgt. Paul Fischak, will be awarded bronze medals for their national ranking.

State's traditional rival in pistol meets, the University of Illinois, placed sixth in the "B" division. Prior to the national meet, the pistol team swept the corps area match by taking first and third places. The University of Wisconsin was second, only one point behind State's winning 1331.

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But One Meet Left On Spartan Links Spring Schedule

Michigan State's varsity golf team has over a week to prepare for the final meet of the season which will pit the Spartans against the Notre Dame linksmen.

The State squad may have a winning season if it defeats the Irish for Ben Van Aistyne's men broke even Saturday by defeating the University of Detroit five matches on the Red Run course Saturday afternoon, 13½-7½.

The Spartans were not pressed to win although the Titans were ahead after the first foursome was completed. Ralph Korte, No. 1 man for State equaled Titan Jack McLoughlin's 78 while George Zimmerman fell four strokes behind of Detroit's Henry Dymond who carded a 77. He and George Busch were medalists.

The remaining Spartans, Busch, Joe Watson, and Phil Goodrich all outshot their opponents, by two, six, and seven points respectively.

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Korte	178
Zimmerman	181
Forsythe	184
Busch	177
Watson	179
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Goodrich	178

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Dymond	177
McLoughlin	181
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Kirk	185
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Spartans' Next Opponents
 Coach Ray Fisher of the Wolverine baseball team surveys his infield with Capt. George Harms, only senior member of the Michigan team. They play the Spartans on Old College field Thursday at 4:10 p. m.

Term Play Tickets Now Being Sold
 Tickets for the all-college term play, "Imaginary Invalid," by Moliere, are now on sale at the Union desk, accounting office, and by members of Theta Alpha Phi, dramatics honorary sponsoring the play, according to John McCarty, Eng. '43 and ticket chairman.

The play is scheduled for Wednesday and Thursday, June 10 and 11 in Fairchild theatre. Anyone wishing to sell tickets is asked to contact McCarty through the drama department office.

Buy War Bonds and Stamps

Spartan Cindermen Hand Marquette 69-62 Defeat

By nosing out Marquette 69 to 62 Saturday, State cindermen set Coach Karl Schlademans' mind at rest as to whom he will send to the IC-4A meet in New York city Memorial day.

Schlademans will ticket four members of the track squad to the east coast and will send the remainder of the squad to the Michigan A.A.U. tourney in Kalamazoo the same day.

The coach would not reveal the names of those to travel until he had watched their actions during the early week practices.

The Marquette win was the second of the outdoor dual season as against two setbacks for State. The remainder of the meets in which State will participate will not be dual affairs. Thus, Schlademans completed his season at pre-dualitions with a perfect record.

DAVIS BREAKS JUMP RECORD
 He did miss four firsts in his scoring but the effect was the same when all of the points were added. Hughie Davis went berserk in the broad jump and broke a meet record as well as his own season mark. He was the only Spartan to set a new mark, although two Hiltteppers put new meet records on the scoreboard.

Art Ebert, double winner for Marquette, set a new meet record in the high hurdles and tied the old time in the low. The only other double winner, Lee Kalchik, threw the shot for a new distance record.

Because the mile relay, a new event, was not run Schlademans' predictions can correct to the point. Davis' broad jump performance also crossed up the predictions. The one mile run which fell to Marquette instead of to Bill Scott and the 320 which went to the Toppers were the only other events which did not run off as planned.

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Horse Show to Open Tomorrow

Event to Bring Entries From Seven States

Two hundred thirty-five horses from seven states have been entered in the 1942 version of the M.S.C.-R.O.T.C. horse show, to be held tomorrow, Thursday, Friday and Saturday on campus, according to Maj. Gerald Peterson, secretary-manager of the show.

This total will make the 20th annual show the biggest in its history, and one of the largest in the United States, he states.

Competition will be held in 10 divisions, with 72 classes, for prizes of cash, ribbons, and cups. Many of the divisional prizes will be \$300.

Afternoon performances will be in the outdoor show ring adjacent to the R.O.T.C. parade grounds on Harrison road.

Scene of all evening shows, and afternoons in case of rain, will be Jenison fieldhouse. Tickets will be available at the gate, Peterson says.

Tomorrow's events will include a student horsemanship class for junior cavalry R.O.T.C. students. In this event, horses will be shown at a walk, trot, and canter. Judging will be on the basis of appearance of horse, rider, and equipment. Prizes will be a trophy and ribbons.

The Iowa State college civilian pilot training program has graduated 54 men to the armed services of the nation.

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K. J. McCristal Is Father Of Famous Safety Skills Course

By Neva Ackerman

To K. James McCristal, professor of health and physical education, goes much of the credit for the development of the new Safety Skills course added to the physical education program this term in keeping with national defense.

This course, only one of its kind in the country, was worked out last fall by a physical education faculty led by McCristal, in response to a demand for something vigorous to serve as a military conditioner.

Safety skills, according to McCristal, was originated because of the need for a toughening course and to make additional room for the expanding physical education program.

HAS 240 IN COURSE

McCristal is the instructor for 240 students enrolled in the course which he says hits all the fundamental skills of man such as running, jumping, kicking, and climbing.

The most outstanding part of the plan is the outside obstacle course now in progress in which the student must go about a mile with a 40-pound pack, including climbing the wall of the football practice field several times, crossing the river by a rope, crawling 20 feet under a wire barrier and climbing a steep embankment.

McCristal, who besides this course teaches nine others in the field of physical education, health education, recreation, and education, is enthusiastic about Safety Skills and reports that the students enrolled have shown a marked improvement since entering training. For example, he says, that the men have doubled the number of "push-ups" they can do and have increased their number of "chin-ups" by a third.

OTHERS FOLLOW MSC According to McCristal, many other schools are considering following the lead set by Michigan State in establishing this course.

Safety skills is only one of McCristal's accomplishments. He has done a great deal in the field of adapted sports for physically handicapped which is his specialty. His classes range from junior education courses to tap dancing.

McCristal, who came here five years ago, is a native of Hastings, Minn., and took both his undergraduate and graduate work at the University of Illinois. He also taught there eight years.

KING JAMES OR "MAC" Although he is known as "Mac"

in the fieldhouse, he has to take quips on his name. King James McCristal, taken from his mother's maiden name.

He is a strong advocate of visual and practical education and likes to use moving pictures and inspection tours in his classes.

"Mac" isn't sure whether he will be drafted or not, but he resigned his first lieutenant's commission in the cavalry reserve a few years ago.

"BEST IN MIDWEST"

McCristal is proud of Michigan State's physical education program and challenges any school in the Mid West to better its service and requirement program, which includes classes as well as intramural program.

He is active in physical and health education activities outside of the college, and is now serving as president of the Michigan Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation, and is on several other such committees. He is also vice-president of the State College club.

Two Clubs Pick New Officers

Two organizations have new officers as a result of elections held last week. William Bastedorf, L. A. '44, was elected president of the Psychology club, and Henry Pollard, L. A. '44, is the new president of the M. S. C. Hotel association.

Other officers of the Psychology club are Beverly Rinker, L. A. '44, vice-president; Althea Hunt, L. A. '44, secretary; and Fred June, L. A. '43, treasurer. All of these students are psychology majors. Addison Fuller, '43, is the vice-president of the Hotel association; Tom Mayhew, '43, is secretary-treasurer; George Ranney, '43, business manager; and executive councilmen are Homer Sittner, '44, and Kitty Mitchell, '45.

The federal government's allocation for the national youth administration for the year ending June 30 is \$159,000,000.

Local Phi Kap Initiates 40 At Banquet

Honor Society Picks Five Students For Special Awards

Forty undergraduate students were initiated into Phi Kappa Phi, national honor society, at the spring term banquet and initiation in the Union dining room last night.

Initiates were Melba Babington, Richard Barston, Richard Bates, Leonard Bazun, Edward Birgelatis, Ronald Bishop, Robert Bogan, Marguerite Bowden, Charles Brandel, Donald Van Arsdale Brown, Robert Bush, Elizabeth Creech, William Dexter, William Drake, Roy Edwards, Mary Gaimor, Marcia Gaultford, Barbara Hanna, Leonard Herscher, Vivian Kalminech.

Bertha Kniesly, Mary Leutinger, Raymond Lombury, Robert Loree, Rachel Mason, Leland Merrill, Nestor Mihay, Edmund Raff, Richard Redfern, Jean Root, Paul Rozeborn, Samuel Schwartz, Jean Stanton, Betty Storck, Milton Taylor, Robert Telder, Robert Wadkins, George Willis, Betty Jane Wilson, and Grover Wirick.

Prof. David Worcester, head of the English department, spoke on the "Leaders of the 1950's." Music was provided by a faculty string quartet.

Approximately 125 persons attended the banquet, including 48 faculty members of the Michigan State chapter and five students, Dick George, Marjorie Jehle, Alice Smalley, Joyce Carrow, and Theodore Thompson, and received special awards.

Germans Complain About Sabotage During Air Raids

STOCKHOLM, May 25 (AP)—German newspapers reports received in Stockholm today indicated that saboteurs had been causing German police a lot of trouble during recent British raids. In Essen, police painted mail boxes, road barriers, and other dangerous obstacles with luminous paint to prevent collisions during blackouts. Saboteurs rubbed off the paint, and many a tumble resulted when bomb-doggers headed for shelters.

The newspapers also stressed the importance of observing blackout regulations.

Draft Increases Mason-Abbot Mail

By BILL JOHNSTON

The long white envelope with the local draft board's address stamped on the upper left hand corner is becoming quite a familiar sight to many residents of Mason-Abbot halls. Every week an increasing number of Selective Service questionnaires go through the dormitory mailboxes.

Switchboard operators on duty in the mailrooms are almost as

interested in the "my number is up" letters as the recipients themselves. Interest is merely on an impersonal basis, but the switchboard operators have estimated that at least one or two questionnaires are received at the dormitories each day. Bob Currier, L. A. '45, one of the student switchboard operators, received two questionnaires last week—one was his own.

Most students who receive these informing letters are the butt of a lot of good-natured joking. Such comments as, "It won't be long now," "I wonder how the army will treat you," and, "Boy, I hope I get you in my platoon when I get my commission this June" make the rounds and are heard for the rest of the day.

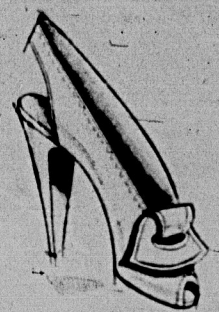
Aside from the numerous questionnaires that are sent through the mailrooms the usual duties of the operators are dull routine.

There are always switchboard operators on duty from 7 a. m. to 10:30 p. m. and they take care of incoming mail, laundry, dry cleaning, issue guest meal tickets, and operate the switchboard. Business hours are from 12 noon to 1 p. m. and from 6 to 8 p. m.

The post office makes two dormitory deliveries, one in the morning and one in the afternoon. The morning delivery is the heaviest. The fellows usually are loud in their disgust when they find no mail in their box after the mail has been distributed.

Occasionally the mail gets mixed up and doesn't go through. Letters addressed to women living in South Campbell, North Williams, and other dormitories find their way by mistake to Mason-Abbot halls. It isn't a one sided affair though, since one Mason hall resident found his laundry in West Mary Mayo dormitory recently.

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