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Third Army Opens 24 Mile Front Into Germany

Today's Campus

Bubbling Up

From Syracuse, N. Y., comes the story of the coed, who struck with a cold, grabbed a bottle of would-be cough syrup and swallowed a portion. Then and the full flavor of pine over bubble bath oil reached her. Her roommate, seeing her plight and determined to aid, grabbed a glass of water. As she drank the water the bath oil reacted, producing innumerable foamy suds.

Never More

Funeral services were held for Herman. Rev. Patrick Bullis conducted the services from a Spanish grammar. Included in the sermon on Herman's death was a lengthy dissertation on Herman's kindness in never shouting in the halls or slamming doors. The black-veiled assemblage mourned for Herman who was a mascot of Ward C. Wells hall and a kind, gentle turtle.

Local Pi Phi Group Will Go National Feb. 16, 17, 18

According to word received from the local Pi Phi Gamma chapter, the group has been granted a charter for the National Pi Beta Phi convention to be held in Chicago, Ill., Feb. 16, 17 and 18.

Among the group members, 15 of whom were initiated as charter members of what will be the Michigan chapter in Michigan. Six of these will become pledges of the new chapter.

The members of the installation committee of the Lansing chapter include: Barbara B. Ferris, president; Dorothy Welles, Elmira, N. Y., vice-president; Julia Mackey, Cedarhurst, N. Y., sophomore treasurer, and Jean Mitchell, Dearborn senior, recording secretary.

Please training will be taken care of by Jean Schmeichel, Hamlet, East Lansing senior, and June Wilkinson, Jackson junior, who will be installed as corresponding secretary.

News in Brief

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7 (AP) - B-29 joined forces today with the campaign to isolate Burma from the Japanese sphere of influence.

Working out of India, the superfortresses contributed their share by smashing a bridge vital to the Japanese supply line.

In a twin strike, they hit the Rama bridge west of Bangkok in Thailand, a span which has carried the bulk of enemy supplies to Burma, and banged away at the Indo-China port of Saigon.

Westminster Choir to Offer Special Show



The Westminster choir which started as a volunteer choir in the Presbyterian church of Dayton, Ohio, will appear this evening at 8 p.m. in College auditorium as a special feature not included in the regular lecture-concert series, according to Dan S. E. Crowe.

Reds Establish New Crossings Nearer Berlin

LONDON, Wednesday, Feb. 7 (AP) - Soviet troops established their seventh bridgehead over the Oder river, in the Kustrin area, little more than 30 miles from Berlin, yesterday and broke into the city of Kustrin itself, according to German accounts.

Moscow still did not confirm any of the river crossings which Berlin said had been made by Marshal Gregory Zhukov's first White Russian army.

The nightly communist broadcast from Moscow told only of mopping-up operations east of the river, including the capture of Guestebes on the east bank 33 miles northeast of Berlin, and limited advances in the 50-mile-wide Soviet bridgehead in Silesia, far to the southeast.

The only indication from Moscow that Zhukov's forces might be west of the Oder was unofficial. It was a broadcast quoting the Red army newspaper Red Star as saying, "fighting is going on in the fortified fortress of Berlin."

Moscow's communique, however, announced that 15,460 prisoners had been taken on the eastern front Sunday and Monday, and that since Jan. 11 eight German generals had been killed, and five generals and four top-ranking colonels had been captured.

60 Students Register for Special Session

Sixty new students, mid-year high school graduates, enrolled in school this week for a special short term running until the end of winter term Saturday, March 17. Registrar Robert S. Linton announced yesterday.

The policy of admitting students at this time is followed to enable men to continue their schooling uninterrupted until their induction into the armed force.

State's total enrollment now nears 4,300, including 2,819 women and 1,025 men. About 450 army students are receiving instruction on campus.

Fraternities to Take IFC Test to Check Pledge Programs

IFC will give a test to all fraternity men which will take the place of the pre-war test given to all pledges during Fraternity week on Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Hort building lecture room, according to Mac Cronsey, MacGillia secretary.

All fraternity men, both pledges and actives who have not previously taken a similar test will be required to take it.

The test will bring out the value and scope of each fraternity's pledge program. It will cover points on the history of IFC, information on Greek associations on campus, social activities and etiquette at both fraternal and collegiate functions. The points included form a background of knowledge for a good fraternity man.

After grading the tests, the fraternity with the highest average will be announced.

Churchill to Urge Settlement Delay

LONDON, Feb. 7 (AP) Prime Minister Churchill is expected to urge the "Big Three" conference, now in session in the Black Sea area, to postpone settlement of Europe's frontiers until France can be included in the deliberations.

The announcement, brought that Churchill, President Roosevelt and Premier Stalin had turned to wide-range political discussions after reaching complete agreement on military operations against Germany made no mention of the frontier problem.

A few hours before official disclosure that the conference is in progress, Minister of State Richard Law told the house of commons that Britain believed the question of new European boundaries "must be decided later by all powers together."

Americans Blast Through Last of Siegfried Line

PARIS, Feb. 7 (AP) - The U.S. third army thrust elements of four divisions across the Our and Sure rivers into Germany from Luxembourg at ten places on a 24-mile front today as the U. S. first army burst through the last main zone of the Siegfried line defenses in the Ober river section near Schleiden.

At the same time the third army forces already in Germany exploited the breach they had made in the Siegfried line permanent works east of St. Vith, making gains of a miles south-eastward through the Schnees Eitel hills and taking Wachen, three and one-half miles north of the stronghold of Pruem.

These forces formed an arc around Pruem as close as three miles on the west down to seven miles away on the southwest with the capture of Holling.

First army doughboys, moving up in a heavy rain, cracked the Siegfried emplacements almost lost by capturing Hollenthal, two and one-half miles southwest of Chiffen and pouring across the Ober river.

Civilians Awake Troops - There they left the main system of concrete barriers and pill-boxes behind them and threatened to outflank the Schleiden-Gemund sector of the westwall.

Second infantry division soldiers making the assault, reported that German civilians spread the alarm and awakened sleeping Nazi troops.

Senior women, planning to teach, must file both record cards and credential folders at the Placement office immediately, or lose opportunity for interviews with school representatives, according to Edmond H. Thorne, director of teacher placement.

These two American armies under Lt. Gen. Omar N. Bradley See-YANKS-Page 3

Student Council Votes To Continue Corsage Ban at Open Parties

Motions concerning the five year students' status and the standing corsage ban were passed at the dinner meeting of Student council held last night.

The council passed unanimously the motion to continue in effect the ban on corsages for all open college dances. This does not include closed parties such as fraternity and sorority dances.

Alternate plans for determining the status and eligibility of five year students for participation in class activities were discussed and will be submitted to veterinary students for approval.

The council went on record as favoring the system whereby five year students will be considered in the class with which they will graduate.

TIME TABLE

- TODAY- Veterans' counselors, 1 p.m. Org. room 2. Union Home Ec Senior board 5 p.m., Hunt's Food shop La Cofradia, 7 p.m. 103 Union annex 4-H club, 7:30 p.m. Spartan room, Union

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— THE — WOMAN'S WORLD

By MAY ANN MAJOR

GREY LADIES

The Grey Ladies will meet this evening at 7:30 in room 130, Morrill hall. A guest speaker will be present to talk to the women-in connection with their activities on campus.

RED CROSS COUNCIL

Members of the Red Cross executive council are to meet this evening at 7 in room 115, Union. Two members of the Lansing Red Cross chapter will speak to the campus unit on the coming Red Cross membership drive. Plans will be laid for organizing the drive at the meeting, according to Ruth Koffel, Kalamazoo junior.

TOWER GUARD

Tower Guard will have a meeting at 7:15 p.m. today in the tower. Pres. Peg Frimodig, East Lansing sophomore, announced.

HOME EC BOARD

Members of Home Economics senior board will meet tonight at 5:45 for a dinner business meeting at Hunt's Food shop, according to Miss Jeanette Lee, professor of foods and nutrition.

Invest in the next raid on Japan. Buy war bonds.

Grin and Bear It . . . By Lichty



It was a mistake to tell our new maid I'd show her how to do the work done. I've been showing her all week, and she still hasn't caught on!

Will Durant to Give Four Lectures On Campus for Faculty, Guests

Dr. Will Durant, famed author and philosopher, will speak Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday in a series of four lectures entitled "The World in Transition." Durant, S. E. Crowe and himself recently.

The first meeting is scheduled for Tuesday evening at 7:30. "Captains of Transition" will be topics of the lecture and discussion.

To Discuss Democracy

Two lectures will be given on Wednesday. The first will concern "Democracy in Transition" and will be held at 10 a.m. The second, to be at 2 p.m., will be on "Marriage in Transition."

The Thursday meeting is scheduled for 10 a.m. with the topic "Religion in Transition." Durant was born in North Adams in 1865 of French-Catholic heritage and was named after the great Harvard philosopher and psychologist.

Author of Books

He was educated at St. Peter's college, Jersey City and at Columbia University, New York. After taking his B.A., M.A. and Ph.D., he taught Latin and Greek. For 13 years he was director of the Labor Temple school in New York City. He

supplemented his studies in America with visits to Europe. Author of "The Story of Civilization" which are only a few of his many works, Durant is also one of America's most popular and best-selling authors. Durant appeared during the past several

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LOST

METAL-rimmed glasses in black case. D. A. Perinatal, B. I. Ave. in case. Call Mary June, Ext. 86, 32-90-91

GREY Parker pen lost Wednesday morning between Ag hall and Union. Keenlake from brother overseas. Liberal reward. Call 2-886 after 4 p.m.

BETWEEN Jensen and Campbell Monday night, one steel knitting pin. Call State News or 8-3337.

BROWN Horn-rimmed glasses in leather case between Union and Mason hall. Call 85, room 353.

83-86-87-88

Bitter Jap Resistance Stalls Advance at Edge of Manila

Yanks Clear Capital's Business District

MANILA, Thursday, Feb. 8 (AP)—The fire-ravaged business district of Manila has been cleared of Japanese demolition squads by Yanks now holding all the area north of the Pasig river but American troops still are held up in the Pasay suburb at the southeast edge of the city by continued bitter resistance at Nichols

and Douglas MacArthur, who left the city yesterday during a Nipponese shell fell 100 feet of him, announced today which listed enemy casualties in the Luzon campaign at about 48,000.

American casualties for the past four-week period are reported 7,076, including 1,000 dead.

Blow Up Bridges

Yank cavalry and 37th division on all northern Manila in the city.

With airborne division snipping up in the vicinity of Nichols field, on the outskirts.

Yanks across the wide Pasig river, which divides Manila, have been blown up by enemy, MacArthur announced. This undoubtedly will delay the American advance in the southern areas of the island city.

Associated Press Correspondent Bill Barnes said Japanese shells shelled northern Manila yesterday, causing casualties in the Santo Tomas internment camp where 1,000 prisoners were freed last

Internees Lose Calm

Internees, finally, but some calm, Barnes said. There was no panic but the people as they gathered in the rear of buildings against walls and their newly won

British Airplane Crashes

LONDON, Feb. 7 (AP)—Thirteen passengers, including six pilots, were killed when a plane carrying them crashed while en route to the "Big Three" meeting, it was reported tonight.

In Campus Quarters

By DOTTIE La MONT and NAN TRABUE

ECHOS of wedding bells seem to be louder than ever this week. In fact they're even drowning out the happy shouts of new initiates as news of past and forthcoming marriages fills our mail box.

Peoples church was the background in which Virginia Morrison, State graduate of '44, repeated her vows to Ben Howe, Sigma Chi from Purdue. They are now making their home in Anderson, Ind.

Doris Voight, Zeta Tau Alpha pledge, has left all claims to school work to take on a new job. She was married last Saturday to Lieut. Arthur Hagen of the army air forces, who is stationed at Big Springs, Tex.

Delta Zetas will be trekking to Chesaning today to see Jane Cowman, become another air force bride. Her husband-to-be is F. O. Best, Sollock in Gwassa, stationed in Arizona.

Not only have the Delta Zetas been attending weddings (well, one anyway) but they're beginning to pass out pledge pins too. Toni Prosser, Flint sophomore, became responsible for this added activity when she received a new pledge pin last Friday.

Right here we'd like to include the name of a new active Delta Zeta who was not included in the list on Tuesday, January 30. She is Janet Brooks, Holland freshman.

Women's Sports

By DOTTE VON DETTE

NORTH Williams' bowling team topped all other scores of the bowling tournament in defeating Potter House Tuesday night. Thelma Junker bowled 202 in helping her team's score soar to the high 727. Potter House's score was 478.

The Alpha Xi Deltas took a close game over Mason, Precinct 6. The scores were 600 to 590 while the Alpha Pys continued their winning streak defeating Mason, Precinct 4, 577 to 485. The Kappa Deltas were again victorious, this time over Mason, Precinct 7, 602 to 513.

In Monday night's games the Alpha Gams defeated Fern House, 621 to 469, and the Sigma Kappas came out on top in their game with the Independents, Marge Smith, Sigma Kappa, bowled the terrific score of 296 which was partly responsible for their score of 702. The Independents rolled 520. South Campbell won their game by default from the Gamma Pys.

Don't be a tradition breaker—no smoking on campus.

Winter Term Final Schedule Listed

EXAMINATION SCHEDULE FOR BASIC COLLEGE COURSES

Basic 111	Tues.	March 13	8-9 A. M.
Basic 112	Tues.	March 13	8-9 A. M.
Basic 121	Mon.	March 12	8-9 A. M.
Basic 122	Mon.	March 12	8-9 A. M.
Basic 131	Mon.	March 12	9-10 A. M.
Basic 132	Mon.	March 12	9-10 A. M.
Basic 141	Mon.	March 12	10-11 A. M.
Basic 142	Mon.	March 12	10-11 A. M.
Basic 152	Mon.	March 12	11-12 A. M.
Basic 162	Tues.	March 13	10-11 A. M.
Basic 172	Tues.	March 13	11-12 A. M.

EXAMINATION SCHEDULE FOR ALL OTHER COURSES

Week of March 13 to 17	
For courses meeting 3 or 10 9 or 10 11 12	Wed. Fri. Wed. Fri.
5 days a week	Wed. Fri. Wed. Fri.
4 days a week (M,T,Th,F)	Thur. Fri. Tues. Thur.
3 days a week (M,W,F)	Wed. Fri. Wed. Thur.
3 days a week (T,Th,S)	Thur. Sat. Tues. Thur.
2 days a week (M,W)	Wed. Wed. Wed. Wed.
2 days a week (F,Th)	Thur. Thur. Tues. Thur.
2 days a week (W,S)	Wed. Sat. Wed. Wed.

YANKS

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thus were already through the Germans' most wanted permanent defenses at two points besides the original 35-mile-wide Aachen gap, and standing at or inside the line's center. This placement zone for another ten miles.

The Allies appeared to be mounting an offensive to smash out Neufbrebach, taking more Germany's western defenses

which Hitler had expected by troop shifts to the eastern front. German propaganda reiterated with urgent insistence their prediction that Gen. Eisenhower would still be seen with a shell-scale offensive.

On the Alsace front in the south, U. S. tank divisions, troops operating under the French first army command stopped and took the old Rhine river fortress city of Neufbrebach, taking more than 1,200 prisoners.

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 and
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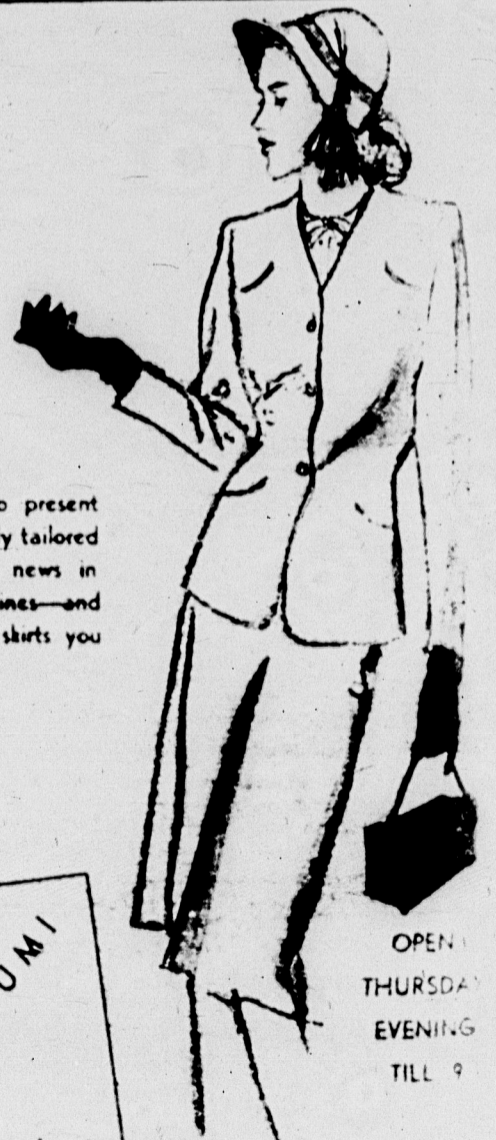
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