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Weather
Generally fair. Slightly warmer.

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Today's Campus

...They Took It

Two freshman women approached their housemother in North Williams Sunday night, looking very hopeful. They asked if they might take a bath. Naturally, they were baffled by such a question. The housemother asked if the coeds answered that the AWS handbook stated that there could be no tubbings without the permission of the housemother.

...The Short of It

Being short isn't always a virtue, at least that is what Mudge Simpson, Kappa, thinks after her first day of practice teaching. A future apple-polisher in her second grade class greeted her with "When you grow up are you going to be a teacher too?"

...If at First

It seems that some freshmen learn the hard way. Marge Babcock, Delta, freshman, had two male roommates who were evidently "room-makers." After talking in the lounge for a while the fellows lit up. Trying to get the lights were of course a losing proposition. The housemother, when her first attempt failed she led her friends down into the women's smoking room, but a wary housemother followed and so did another lecture. Looks like the newbies started Abbot is starting off with a big bang.

Placement Service Requests Records Of Senior Students

The placement office has set up a system of obtaining a record of records of seniors graduating from Michigan State, Director Tom King said yesterday. Seniors will have personal data compiled for possession all their lives and return them as soon as possible. Seniors who do not have their records are urged to get them up at the placement office. Whether it is a senior expects to use one of the facilities of the placement service, it is very important that the placement office have a record of every graduate. King said. King also requests that any seniors on campus that is planning to attend classes for part time employment should notify the placement service as to whom they wish to go on.

Vet School Ends Four-Term Years

Ward Galtner, dean of the school of veterinary medicine, announced that the new veterinary students are now enrolled under the standard pre-war curriculum of a nine-months year. This change became effective with the beginning of fall term. During the war emergency veterinary students worked on an accelerated program that required them to attend classes the year around. Students under this program graduated in three years in a course that normally required four. This measure was added early in the war due to a serious shortage of trained veterinarians. Fall enrollment in the veterinary course shows an increase of 31 students. Eleven of the new students are freshman women.

Occupation Troops Small — MacArthur

Tigers Watch Rainfall From Hotel Rooms

DETROIT, Sept. (AP) — Most of the Detroit Tigers sat around their hotel home today and watched the descent of a soothing, gentle rain with all the appreciation of a Texas cotton farmer after a long drought.

To Manager Steve O'Neill's nervous athletes each drop looked like another digit in a world series check. One after another they looked at the glistening streets and scanned the lowering clouds and said hopefully: "Looks like it might last for days."

There was never a chance of playing today's opener with Cleveland. Before noon the home club, which is the judge and jury in such cases, announced there would be a doubleheader tomorrow, starting at 1:30 p.m. (eastern war time).

Automatic Champs

If those games should be washed out, too, the Tigers automatically would become American league champions, assured of finishing ahead of the idle Washington Senators on percentage points even if they should drop their final two bouts in St. Louis on Saturday and Sunday.

The best the weather bureau could say was that tomorrow's weather should be better—how much better it wouldn't guess. The airport said it would clear in the afternoon. Even if the sun should appear early in the day, Briggs stadium still will be a very wet yard at game time.

Final Play Tryouts Scheduled Tonight

The last try-outs for the term play "Blythe Spirit" by Noel Coward, will be held tonight from 7:15 to 10 in the Spartan room of the Union, according to Don Buell, director of the play.

The story concerns a man who is happily married for the second time. At a dinner party his first wife returns to haunt her ex-husband. She plans to kill him but kills the second wife by mistake.

Although the play has only ten actors, characterization will be quite tricky, especially the women's parts, Buell explained.

Functions of Veteran's Institute Explained by King, New Director

The servicemen's institute of Michigan State college is functioning at present under the direction of Tom King. He is also director of placement service, head of police administration, and serves in the capacity of counselor for men.

Approximately 600 veterans who registered at State last week, and an increasing number who are still making their first appearance on campus, are registering through the veterans' institute.

Refresher Courses

Many returned veterans are transferred immediately to basic college or a division of the college, since the veterans' institute itself is a refresher course for those men not fully prepared for regular college work.

King and his organization as-

Name It New Name Needed For Campus Column Editors Plead!

Campus Quarters is looking for another name. The authors are asking MSC students to test their ingenuity and think up some catchy names, so what could be more fitting than a contest?

The contest will end Tuesday. Prizes will be awarded to the top winner and runner-up. That is only a week away, so write the ideas down today and bring them to the State News office in the basement of the Union annex.

Annual Pre-game Dance to Be Held After Pep Rally

The Kick-off dance, an annual pre-game affair, will be held Friday, 9 to 12 p.m. in the Union ballroom. The plans for the dance were arranged by Union Board, under the sponsorship of Student Council Dick Snook and his staff-makers will provide the entertainment.

June McNutt, Detroit senior, and Jim Graves, Muskegon freshman, head the dance committee which includes Joanne Frost, Owosso junior; Barbara Stover, Muskegon junior; and Anne Cowan, Detroit senior. Dick Mosher, East Lansing junior, made the band arrangements. Tickets may be bought today at the Union desk. An informal affair, attendants are requested to use the west entrance of the Union.

Classes to Be Excused For Michigan Game

Classes will be dismissed at 10 a.m. Saturday, according to S. E. Crowe, dean of students. Buses will leave East Lansing at 8:05 a.m. and 10:20 a.m. for those who plan to attend the Michigan-Michigan State game in Ann Arbor Saturday.

All tickets must now be purchased at the East Lansing bus station, Crowe said, not at the Union desk, as announced yesterday. Extra buses will be provided to take care of all who have tickets. Round trip tickets cost \$3.45; one way, \$1.90.

The buses will leave Ann Arbor to return to campus at 4:50 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.

AWS Adopts Rule To Govern Coeds This Weekend

Women planning to stay overnight in Ann Arbor at the Union or at the YWCA this weekend must have special hotel permission to be sent directly from the parent to the housemothers, either by letter or phone. Women planning to stay at the Women's League do not need special permission. This measure was adopted.

Students wishing their State News delivered to an out-of-town address should pay an extra mailing charge of 25 cents per term. There will be no off-campus deliveries of the News this week. Students living off campus should pick up their papers at the Union desk.

ed last night in the first meeting of the AWS council for fall term, which was presided over by Sue Averill, Birmingham senior.

A change has been incorporated on page 29 of the AWS handbook under penalties for late returns from out of town, to read, a coed will receive a late minute for every minute in which she has failed to phone her housemother after dorm hours saying that she has been detained.

It was also decided in council meeting that women in off-campus houses may not entertain guests in the house until after 4 p.m. on week days. This does not pertain to cooperative or sorority houses.

Pep Rally to Spur Football Spirit

To work up a boundless supply of school spirit to be carried to Ann Arbor Saturday, Union Board, IFC, and the Student Council are working in conjunction for a giant pep rally and stage dance to be held Friday at 7:00 p.m. according to Co-chairman Marion Heckel, Detroit senior, and Bud Smith, Dearborn senior.

The pep rally, under the auspices of IFC, will be in front of the Union where members of the team will be introduced and cheers and the fight song reviewed.

Immediately following the rally, a snake dance will be featured which will wind its way around East Lansing and emerge on the south side of the Red Ced river where there will be a huge bonfire and community singing. Activities for the evening will be climaxed by a Union Board dance from 9 to 12 p.m. in the Union ballroom.

Skeleton Purchased For MSC Museum

A 20,000 year old skeleton of a mastodon, discovered recently in a Michigan swamp, has been purchased by the college for the MSC museum. The bones of the ancient animal were unearthed by Dale Keith, Allegan county farmer, in the process of digging an irrigation ditch.

Preliminary exploration work was done by R. A. Smith, state geologist, who said that the skeleton of the elephant-like creature is in an excellent state of preservation. He laid this condition to the fact that the bones, buried in three feet of muck, have been unexposed to the air.

Stark Starvation Faces Jap Nation This Winter

TOKYO, Sept. 25 (AP) — General MacArthur declared today that Japan might be occupied "in many years" although the conquering force would be small "under favorable conditions" — presumably if the fallen empire behaves.

Faced by the stark prospect of mass starvation this winter, the Japanese ministry of agriculture announced that all but 75,000 of the 1,225,000 acres of mulberry trees that fed the silkworms would be plowed up for food crops.

The Nippon Times reported MacArthur had moved in on Japan's moving picture industry with an order banning films of a militaristic or ultra-nationalistic character.

Heavily armed combat veterans swarmed ashore into the port of Aomori, extending the occupation of Japan to the northern tip of the main home island of Honshu.

The army announced that more than 20 suspected Japanese war criminals would be moved to the same island prison in Tokyo bay that once housed American war prisoners. It was undecided whether to put former war dictator Hideki Tojo in that Spartan prison too.

The head of Domei, stripped by MacArthur of its monopolistic prerogatives, said he would recommend to directors the debanding of this news and propaganda agency.

MacArthur's statement on the length of occupation was in the form of an elaboration of a syndicated article by Ted Dealey, president of the Dallas, Texas, Morning News in which the supreme commander was quoted as saying the army of occupation might be withdrawn in six months "if we are not too foolish and cruel."

A headquarters spokesman said this impression was incorrect, and "what he (MacArthur) said was that occupation forces, under favorable conditions, could be reduced to minimum size in six months."

"He has stated," the spokesman continued, "that the occupation itself might last many years."

Navy Plans on Adequate Enlistment, No Draft

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25 (AP) — The navy hopes to have 500,000 peacetime sailors — without resorting to a draft.

Moreover it has decided to release any enlisted man, now in service, who has three or more children under 18 and who wants to get out.

These were the two major developments in navy news today.

TIME TABLE

- TODAY —**
- Wolverine, 5 p.m. Org. room 1, Union
 - Student Council, 7:15 p.m. Org. room 1, Union
 - Tower Guard, 7:30 p.m. Beaumont tower
- TOMORROW —**
- 4-H club, 7:30 p.m. Org. room 2, Union
 - Point Supervisory Board, 7:30 p.m. Org. room 1, Union

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An Understanding Friend

Editor's note: The following editorial was published in the August 23 issue of the State News during the summer term and is being reprinted by request.

There are professors who are professors, and there are professors who combine the qualities of teacher and friend. When the latter is the case, the professor becomes a campus password, a symbol of the institution's atmosphere, a support for the lost or wayward student to lean on, and an enduring figure for old students to come back to.

Such was the case of Prof. James T. Caswell who for twenty years was the friend and teacher of students of Michigan State college. His was the true interest of an educator, an interest in his students as well as in his classroom topics, an interest which brought homesick girls and troubled boys to his side.

He was the bulwark of every student who strayed off the straight and narrow, the friend-confessor when it came to difficulties with housemothers, professors, parents, police or college officials. He never failed as a friend.

Professor Caswell was a man of dogged beliefs in the rights of men. His undying faith to the Republican party has become a campus legend, but not in jest. Even his political enemies respected the power he possessed as an orator and philosopher.

A man with an insatiable appetite for knowledge, his political conventions and party activities answered the challenges which he thrust before them.

No other member of the MSC staff or faculty has ever held the high respect and esteem of the student body, both active and alumni, as Prof. James T. Caswell. The sudden shock of his death leaves an enduring memory for all who knew him.

THE WOMAN'S WORLD

By BETTE CAHILL

YWCA

YWCA will hold its first meeting of this term in the student parlors of Peoples church tonight at 7. After the meeting there will be a mixer with singing and other activities. All women students are invited to attend.

CHEER LEADERS

Women interested in cheer leading are asked to report to Miss Lucille Dailey in the Women's gym any day this week at 2:30 p.m.

men's gym any day this week at 2:30 p.m.

SWL

Members of the SWL board will meet at 5 p.m. today in organization room 1 of the Union building.

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GOLD Elgin watch, Friday night. If found call 8-3337, ask for Nora Kolstad. Reward. 11

MONDAY, black Shaeffer short-hand pen, engraved "Mary Metcalf," between Byrnes and Abbott. Call Metcalf at Abbott. 13

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GIRL for household assistance 6 hours a week. 50c hour. Time optional. Call 8-2333. 11

MEN OR WOMEN students to work for meals and extra cash in dormitory cafeteria. See Mr. Turner, Wells Hall. 13

TWO BUS BOYS to work for meals at FarmHouse, 326 Sunset Lane, 8-3553. 13

STUDENT to work for campus police. Inquire at campus police office, October 1. 13

Spartans In Service

By MARSHALL STUART

Editor's note: The State News service column will be continued for at least the remainder of fall term to enable MSC to keep up with where former Spartans are now stationed.

WILTON HENDERSON . . .

'48, has been accepted for naval V-12 training and is now stationed at the University of Nebraska at Lincoln, Nebraska.

LT. (J.G.) RAY SMITH . . .

'40, has been awarded a letter of commendation with ribbon by Admiral Raymond A. Spruance, commander, 5th fleet. The presentation was made by Captain Roland N. Smoot, USN, commander of a destroyer squadron. The citation reads:

"For excellent service in the line of his profession on June 22, 1944, during an attack on an enemy submarine. By his initiative, energy and devotion to duty he contributed materially to the success of that engagement. His conduct gives evidence of his great value to the naval service."

While at State Ray was a popular student and a member of Honorary Legs and the officer's club.

LT. ROBERT M. CHISM . . .

'43, has completed thirteen months of foreign service and twelve months of duty as a light aircraft pilot in the "Flying Shark" squadron of the "Flying Tiger" fighter group of Major General Claire L. Chennault. He served in China.

A veteran of 39 combats in the Pacific against the Japanese is credited with probably destroying one enemy plane in the air and one on the ground. He holds the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Air Medal with oak leaf cluster and the Purple Heart. Lieutenant Chism entered the army in 1942.

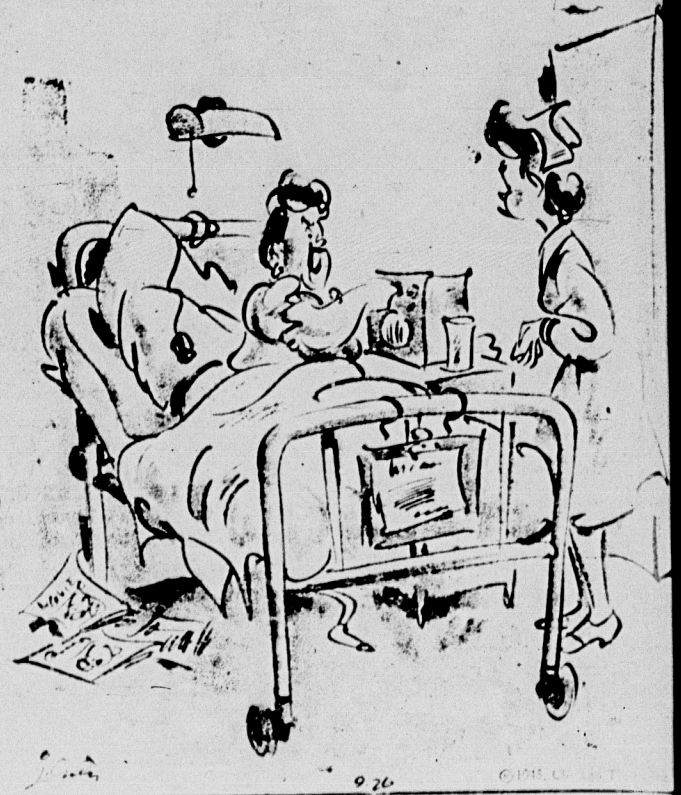
LT. ANN LOUISE PEARSE . . .

of the WAVEs has reported for duty at Pearl Harbor. Before receiving her commission in February, 1943, she did educational work for the First Congregational Church, Toledo, Ohio.

ARTHUR W. SKELTON . . .

has received the silver wings of an army air forces pilot and was sworn in as a second lieutenant at ceremonies at Napier field, Alabama, an advanced single engine pilot school of the AAF training command.

Grin and Bear It . . . By Light



Will it be about time somebody came — seems the only ones interested in my health are these radio announcers.

INFORMATION

4-H CLUB

All students interested in 4-H club work are invited to attend an important meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 in organization room 2, Union building.

POINT BOARD

A meeting of the Point Supervisory board will be held Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in organization room 1, Union building.

WOLVERINE

The Wolverine staff is holding an open meeting for everyone interested in work on the 46 year-book today at 5 p.m. in room 3, Union annex.

STUDENT COUNCIL

Helen Fisher, president of the Student Council, announces the first meeting of the term will be held today at 7:15 p.m. in organization room 1, Union building.

TOWER GUARD

Tower Guards will meet at 7:30 this evening in the Union building.

BIG SISTERS

Summer mailing committee Big Sisters will meet at 7 p.m. upper deck of Union, according to Lou Dowd, Battle Creek sophomore.

TAP SHOES

Tap shoes are needed for women's physical education classes. If women have shoes they would like to rent, they are requested to bring them to the office in the basement of the women's gym.

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Four Veterans Bolster Strength of Backfield

Jack Breslin, triple-threat fullback, senior from Battle Creek, heads the State backfield veterans on the gridiron this year.

As fullback for his second season of play, Breslin is expected to better his last year's record. He accounted for 795 yards and 16 touchdowns in 16 games last season. Last New Year's day in San Francisco he starred on the all-East squad in the Shriner's game.

With speed and power that belie a young back, Breslin is bound to be one of the most valuable players of the opposition this fall.

Chicago transfer, Fred Aronson, has played right halfback, a position he played regularly last year. A south-paw passer, punter, and carry the pigskin as well as toss it.

Calling the plays from quarters, Bill Siler, sophomore from Danville, will see a lot of action this year. Short in stature, five feet seven inches, Siler has experience and the know-how



... BILL MASKILL ...

that is going to count when the going gets tough.

Bill Maskill, sophomore from Detroit, is likely to be in at left half a good bit of the time. A third string fullback last year, he should prove to be an effective cog in State's backfield combination.

Of all these varsity backs, only Breslin can be counted as a sure bet for the starting lineup.

Police Announce Laws For Use of Bicycles On City's Sidewalks

Chief Richard Rogers of the East Lansing police department warned all bicycle owners, including college students, adults, and students of the lower schools, that no vehicles can be parked on the sidewalks of the business district. Only the parking racks provided by the city at the downtown entrances can be used.

Rogers stated that several bicycles had already been impounded and that a second offense would result in the loss of vehicles for a week or longer.

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

Cross Country Squad Prepares for First Meet

It may be football season for most State fans, but for the track enthusiasts another cross country season is here.

Coach Lauren Brown, track coach, whose teams continually rank high nationally, has a good squad working out daily.

The team was bolstered considerably by the return of Walt Mack, Buffalo, N. Y., junior, a pre-war track star here. Mack, although wounded in the foot while serving with the navy, has returned to his old form and

great things are expected from men round out the squad thus far.

Walter Kalmbach

State will also have Walter Kalmbach, Grass Lake sophomore, a major letter winner, back from last year's team.

Three major letter winners from last year's team, Wayne Finkbeiner, Middleville sophomore; Guerdon Frost, Williamston junior, and Howard Phillips, Winchenden, Mass., junior, along with some promising new

Seeks New Men

It's not too late for any of the new men, experienced or not, to come out and give it a try, Brown said.

The first meet will be Saturday, Oct. 12, with Ohio State at 10:30 a.m.

The schedule includes five dual meets topped off by the IC 4A and the National Intercollegiate.

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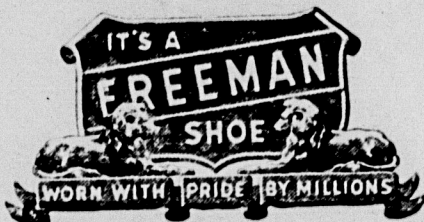
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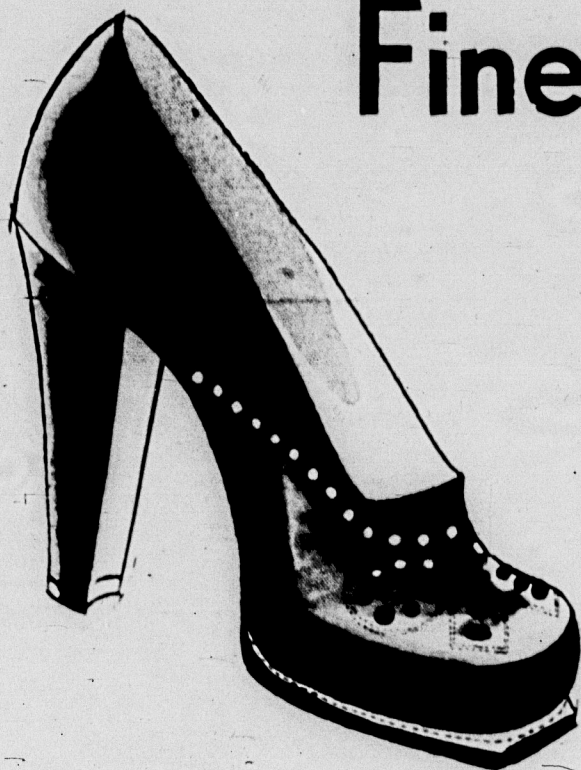
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