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PAUL H. ENGLE, MANAGING EDITOR FOR JANUARY

### ALL'S SERENE

"The time I worry," says an industrial genius in a confession article published in one of the numerous "success" type periodicals, "is when everything seems to be going on smoothly. No acute problems confront me. Business flows on serenely. And I begin to investigate. There's something wrong."

This man who has built up a name and a fortune by sheer punch and push has a word for us. He suggests to one that a calm is always to be looked at suspiciously, be it in business, education, or weather. He has found that problems mean progress, that exertion is the germ of progress. A quiet pool is very likely to be stagnant, while a tumbling brook gives life to the sporty trout.

The criticism often comes to all of us that there are too many organizations on the campus. Someone shouts excitedly that there are nearly seventy. Why don't we have less and use the essential ones more? Yes, why don't we? That's what the Russian, and the Illinois bench squatter asks without doing anything about it.

Why doesn't the student council wake up and do something? Why have class meetings degenerated into mere general sessions for the officers of the class? Why do our publications slump in interest and activity? Isn't it awful? We force an angry "why" on our listener's throat and then run on to shout more "why's" and "Ain't it awful's".

There's work to be done! The student council and the congress should reflect the activity and thoughts of the student body. When these organizations meet, there is very little business to be done. An O. K. on a ten month's old bill, a remark on campus paths, an "ain't it awful", a yawn, a motion and an adjournment.

Class meetings suffer equally with lack of interest and unwillingness to act. It is encouraging to watch the honor list swell with new names, but it is discouraging and alarming to note a decline in campus activities. Education, we are told, is not a quest for high grades. Some of the most uneducated, and consequently most useless men are those who sought only the elusive "A". A storehouse is in itself of small value. The taking out is what makes it of consequence.

Campus activities need to be charged with new vigor. They need the student with an idea, and with an ability to carry out the idea if it is worthwhile.

Too many consider it an honor merely to hold a class office, to be chairman of a board, president of an organization, editor and business manager of a publication. In reality, honor comes only through activity, exertion, real work, if it is honor that is sought. A campus position is an obligation, not a name to tack after the annual Wolverine pedigree! An obligation to the student body and to the college. To fulfill the requirements of our position to the best of our ability!

### "WE'RE MUCH OBLIGED"

The liberal arts entertainment board is to be congratulated upon its year's program which came to an end Monday evening with the lecture of Roy C. Andrews. The board should feel grateful for the large attendances the various lectures have had.

Men like Alfred Noyes, Lorado Taft, Roy C. Andrews, and Charley Paddock will always attract intent listeners. These men have a real message. Each in his particular way presents a philosophy of his own life. From the poet, the sculptor, the athlete and the explorer, the student gets something more than entertainment. He gets analyses of life experiences which are of more influence to him than he realizes at the time.

We are proud of our campus, of our buildings. But we leave these behind when we graduate. What we hear, see and experience, we take with us when we go. So we are grateful to the liberal arts committee for presenting such a splendid year's program. May next year's be equally entertaining, and inspiring.

### THE PLAYS THE THING

The reason is not that we have just received complimentary tickets; nor are we overly flush with money. The reason we suggest going to the series of stage plays being shown downtown is because they offer entertainment and a convenient interpretation of life and living.

People laugh at "Abie's Irish Rose", yet the play is more than a simple comedy, and when the show's over, the audience realizes it. "The Student Prince" is rated as among the finest stage productions of the season. It affords an insight into a less known type of college.

## The Book Shelf

Edited by Dorothy Burrell

### A Review of Midwest Portraits

by Harry Hansen

If you are a follower of Carl Sandburg, Sherwood Anderson, Ben Hecht and Wallace Smith, you will greatly enjoy this book. The critic, Mr. Hansen, takes the reader on a tour into the character of these men, showing us some of their quirks of personality. For instance, in his discussion of Carl Sandburg's poem, "Praise," that line of defiance which says "I tell you the past is a bucket of ashes" that defines the poet's whole outlook toward traditions. This poet is often spoken of as the most successful follower of Whitman. He is a reveler in free verse. His "Rustabaga Stories" are well known and show this characteristic all through them. There are those of us who feel that although he may grow in wisdom round out his philosophy of life and perhaps even smooth out his lines, his big contribution to American literature in the future will not be in the field of poetry but in prose.

Sherwood Anderson is a product of our own soil. He is not foreign as some have suspected. We get the impression that the books of

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An opportunity to capitalize lung power and collegiate appearance will be offered to 150 students in the university and neighboring colleges, when "The Poor Nut" opens at the Hollis Street theater Jan. 11. The play, which is advertised as "of the college," contains as its chief theme a track meet, during which a throng of undergraduates cheer the hero on to greater efforts.

J. B. Shay, advertising manager of the Hollis Street theater, will see any applicants for places as "extras" this week. The management will pay the members of the "crowd" \$1 each for the three minutes which each performance will require.

## Purdue Discourages Sunday Amusements

Lafayette, Indiana.

Dancing and card playing on Sundays is frowned on at Purdue university and little of either is done in the sorority or fraternity houses, according to Miss Carolyn Shoemaker, dean of women.

Several years ago the women's council, composed of one representative of each of the sorority houses and also of co-eds not members of such organizations, adopted a rule prohibiting dancing and card playing on Sundays in any of the houses.

Fraternity houses adopted similar rules as those adopted by the women, other than the action taken by the student government bodies, the university has no set of written rules governing dancing and card playing on the Sabbath.

Sherwood Anderson, even aside from technical defects, are warm and alive for the very reason that into them the author has poured his life blood. Anderson's latest book is "Dark Laughter."

Ben Hecht was influenced quite a little by Sherwood Anderson. But with Ben Hecht anything is possible.

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Next week Ruth Becker will give a review on "Soundings."

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# The Social Whirl

Edited by  
ERVA PRESCOTT  
Kappa Delta House

Aside from the two open houses given by the Delphi and Alpha Gamma Rho fraternities Saturday evening, formal initiations occupied the most prominent place on the Michigan State campus during the past week-end. Practically every organization has now added members of the class of '26 to its membership roll.

## Delphi

About twenty-five couples were entertained at the open house held Saturday evening in the society home. Carl Bittner acted as patron for the affair while Gus Wilson's orchestra furnished the music.

Alumni who have been guests at the house during the past week are W. J. Hickey and B. Amberg of Flint and John Redick of Charlotte.

George Tinkham spent the week-end in Saginaw while F. J. Reinhardt was in Ypsilanti.

The society dining room was the scene of the formal initiation banquet on Tuesday evening. Those who were known to the society are J. Meacham, Hartford; R. Baldwin, Bridgeman; H. White, Sparta; A. A. Wake, Iron River; Robert Eldridge, Eaton Rapids; H. Reese, Lansing; M. Dodge, Jackson; and M. Hahn, Grand Haven.

Ralph Morrish announced his engagement at the last house meeting of the society.

## Alpha Gamma Rho

The formal initiation banquet was held at the fraternity house Friday evening for six pledges. Carl Bittner acted as toastmaster for the occasion while the natives were represented by Russel Harwood and pledges by Melbourn Avery.

The fraternity staged an open house Saturday evening with the Amphion Revelers as musicians for the affair.

## Columbian

Initiation was ended with a banquet held at the house Sunday afternoon. J. D. Baxter was toastmaster for the occasion while responses were made by Coach R. Young and Prof. O. I. Snow. The society will stage a party in Ag hall Saturday evening.

## Phylean

Fourteen pledges were formally initiated Sunday afternoon. Following initiation a banquet was held at which Dr. W. Giltner acted as toastmaster. Dr. R. C. Huston, Prof. T. Gannon, Henry Arnold and Goodrich Shouls responded with toasts.

## Women's Building

Mary Louise Murray heads the committee in charge of the formal house dance to be held next Saturday. Aiding her are Esther Forbes, Katherine Hubbard, Margaret Hubbard, Katherine McPherson, Florence Patterson and Adeline Wing.

## Sesame

Formal initiation of the Sesame society was held at the society home Saturday afternoon at which the following girls became members: Georgia Lightfoot, Leah Fleming, Beatrice Comstock, Ruth Hood, Ruth Keethaus, Eva Price and Eleanor Flack. Directly after the ceremonies the banquet was held at the Methodist Temple House at which Grace Thoma acted as toastmistress. The theme of the program was the ideals and traditions of Sesame. Mrs. R. J. Baldwin spoke for the passives while the natives were represented by Janet Armitage, Grace Reynolds, and Elizabeth Sackett. Harriet Flack spoke for the pledges.

The date set for the winter term at the Kerns. Hazel Kelly is in charge. Pledge service was held for Vernice Eckert of Lansing Monday afternoon.

## Sororian

Formal initiation was held at the Methodist Temple House Saturday afternoon. Immediately following the initiation a banquet was held. The theme of tonight was the Good Ship Sororian and Leah Fleming was toastmistress. Marjorie Wood represented the pledges with "Rigging" while Emma Hyde spoke for the sophomores on the "Sea". Helen Crute, a junior gave the "Salt" and the seniors were represented by Margaret Foote with the "Rubber". Mrs. Elva Foote Hyde spoke for the passives on the "Anchor". Vivian Case, Marjorie Wood, Irene Johnson, Helen Anderson, Marguerite Howland, and Margaret Heger numbered the initiates. Alumni attending were Misses and Marjorie Mitchell, Hilda Williamson, Mrs. Virginia Anderson, Madeline Fischer, Mrs. Irene Marford, Helen Perrine, Ellen Thompson, M. Elva Foote Hyde, Mrs. Rowena Alderman, Jeanne Dorothy Lehard, Ruth Anne Winkle, Mrs. Leonard Nichols, Nina Kertes, Nina Evelyn, Leah Smith, and Frances Ayres. The three honor members, Mrs. H. H. Halladay, Miss Helen Higgins, and Mrs. Yates, house chapter, and Miss Neva Lovewell were also present.

## Upsilon

Formal initiation was held at the house Friday evening for six pledges. Dr. W. Giltner acted as toastmaster. Dr. R. C. Huston, Prof. T. Gannon, Henry Arnold and Goodrich Shouls responded with toasts.

## Theta

Formal initiation will be held at the house Friday evening for six pledges. Dr. W. Giltner acted as toastmaster. Dr. R. C. Huston, Prof. T. Gannon, Henry Arnold and Goodrich Shouls responded with toasts.

## Phi

Formal initiation will be held at the house Friday evening for six pledges. Dr. W. Giltner acted as toastmaster. Dr. R. C. Huston, Prof. T. Gannon, Henry Arnold and Goodrich Shouls responded with toasts.

## Chi

Formal initiation will be held at the house Friday evening for six pledges. Dr. W. Giltner acted as toastmaster. Dr. R. C. Huston, Prof. T. Gannon, Henry Arnold and Goodrich Shouls responded with toasts.

## Alpha Phi

Mrs. J. R. Fleming, visiting delegate, was a guest at the house during the week.

## College Residence

Helen Smith was elected fire chief and Vernice Eckert quiet proctor at a recent house meeting.

## Strong House

The girls enjoyed a chop suey dinner at East Inn Wednesday evening.

## Hilcrest

Helen Davette and Marian Chinnick were in Grand Rapids for the week-end while Helen Bogie spent the time at Ann Arbor.

## Eumonian

R. E. Single spent the week-end in Saginaw and W. R. McLean went to Ann Arbor.

## Practise House

Rhea Vedder was a dinner guest Wednesday evening and Alva Bates Sunday. Wednesday noon Dr. Katherine Blunt, home economics expert, will be the guest of honor at luncheon. The girls are giving a tea Saturday afternoon.

## Alpha Gamma Delta

The fraternity will stage a benefit dance at the Union Friday night, the proceeds of which will go to the Alpha Gamma Delta Camp for Children at Jackson.

Ruby Newman of Lansing, Maxine Moon, Battle Creek, Martha Richardson, Lansing, and Evelyn Mills of Benton Harbor, will receive formal initiation Saturday. Following the ceremonies a banquet will be held at the Kerns.

## Upsilonian

Formal initiation was concluded Monday evening with a dinner at the Campus Apartments. George Thompson was toastmaster while W. H. Comstock, Ben Batchelder, Prof. E. A. Herbert and Donald Kline responded. The initiates are Forest Leddy, Elwyn Pittsworth, Clark Nordermeier, S. Kirk, N. C. Yerkes and B. Batchelder.

The members of the society enjoyed a sleigh ride Saturday night. Kenneth Harris and Howard Piper were house guests over the weekend.

## Olympic

Harold Eckerman, a former Michigan State athlete, has returned to finish his college course. The society initiation will take place in a few weeks.

## Phi Kappa Tau

Initiation will be held in three or four weeks. Clarence Ripper and Roy Gettel spent the week-end in St. Johns, and Lawrence Taylor at Ypsilanti.

## Kappa Delta

Miss Blanche Kynast, president of Gamma province of the sorority, was a guest at the chapter house during the past week-end. Misses Grace Miner and Florence

Hurst visited friends in Ann Arbor over the week-end. Lucille Bunge has moved into the house. Marie Hostleman will join her during the coming week.

Mrs. R. Nelson and Mrs. Strauss were dinner guests of Mrs. Dietrich Sunday.

Frances Gillespie and Helen Myland of Twinsburg were house guests over the week-end. Initiation will be held the last of the month.

Seven of the members spent the week-end in Ann Arbor. Fraternity officers for the term are: Carl Kietzman, president; Kenneth Drew, vice-president; Francis Miller, treasurer; Henry Johnson, secretary.

Charles Mitchell and Kade Kingsford, members of the Grand Rapids Junior College swimming team, were guests at the house this week-end.

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Sports Editor

# A PAGE OF SPORTS

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## SPEEDY U. OF M. ATTACK CRUSHES GREEN AND WHITE FIVE 38-15

### HOOD SHATTERS WOLVERINE DEFENSE FOR TWO GOALS AND PROVES STATE STAR; MOLEND AND OOSTERBAAN IN SUPERB FORM.

Before a crowd of over 3,000, Michigan State basketballers fell before the slashing floor attack of the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor last Saturday night by the rompaway count of 38-15. The State men could not fathom the Michigan offense, and the defensive tactics of the Wolverine machine were impregnable before the best offensive sweep which the Kobsmen could present. Michigan used 11 men in the tilt, and started practically an experimental team, having only Doyle and Molenda from the ranks of the regulars to bolster the initial drive.

Fredericks, Drey and Hood accounted for the Michigan State score, and Hood led this trio with a total of two goals and a free toss. He was characterized as being the only State to

break through the Michigan defense consistently, and had he been given the ball more often, there is little doubt but what he would have figured more in the State offense than he did. Hood was the brilliant rival of the Wolverines, and virtually the outstanding man on the Green and White team.

Molenda and Oosterbaan scintillated for Michigan, each garnering four field goals, and proving very adept on defense. State's defense proved noticeably weak, when the U of M forwards continually broke through and tossed practically unobstructed leaves through the mesh. Michigan sends its undefeated team against Illinois and Syracuse this week. Both tilts are carded for Ann Arbor, while Michigan State goes to Notre Dame this weekend to take on Leuch Kolgan's freshmen.

## STATE SWIMMERS DOWN GD. RAPIDS J. C.

Capt. Whitlock Stars

Michigan State swimmers won their first dual meet of the season Saturday, when they outpointed the tank stars of Grand Rapids Junior college, 34 to 25.

State garnered four first places and the Furniture City men took two while the relay event ended in a dead heat. Captain Stanley Whitlock of the Green and White squad was the individual star and high point man of the day, winning the 50 yard and 220 yard free style events. He swam as anchor man on the relay team.

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**A. G. WESSON**  
Director

Chamberlain, also performed well for State, taking first place in the 60 yard breast stroke and second berth in the 60 yard back stroke race.

The summary: 120 yard relay Grand Rapids Junior College (Bar-nard, Robert, Kingford and Chat-worth) and Michigan State College (Robinson, Russow, Bolbach and Whit-lock) tied for first. Time 1:04.7.

50 yard breast stroke: Chamberlain, State, first; Eckerman, State, second; Mitchell, Grand Rapids, third. Time 1:15.

50 yard free style: Whitlock, State, first; Bernard, Grand Rapids, second; Robert, Grand Rapids, third. Time 1:17.6.

100 yard back stroke: Kingford, Grand Rapids, first; Chamberlain, State, second; Russow, State, third. Time 1:48.6.

100 yard free style: Chatworth, Grand Rapids, first; Bernard, Grand Rapids, second; Russow, State, third. Time 1:06.2.

Fancy diving: Kurlinski, State, first; Mitchell, Grand Rapids, second. Points 71.6.

200 yard free style: Whitlock, State, first; Robinson, State, second; Bar-nard, Grand Rapids, third. Time 2:18.6.

## UNION PREPARES PUBLIC STATEMENT

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sion and office expense, which have hitherto been given gratis to the Union except for direct expenditures but which with the increased activities must be paid from general funds. All of this is in accordance with the agreement made last spring relative to these affairs.

The balance sheet for November, 1925, shows that the period since July 1, almost half a year, has marked the expenditure of more than half

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## GOODWIN PLACES FIRST IN FENCING TILT

Gold Medal Awarded.

Max A. Goodwin, 26, State News staff member, won the first place gold medal in the college fencing tournament finals by outpointing T. E. Carbine, 29, in the last draws with a score of 10-14 points. Carbine scored 34-12 points, and received the silver second place medal.

G. N. Jarman, 27, was third, with 23-12 and J. Converse, 28, took fourth place with a count of 21-34.

of the sum available for general operation and maintenance, but conditions around the building at the start of the fall term made necessary the use of considerable labor to make the place presentable and this will not be incurred again. In addition to this there were numerous miscellaneous items which will not be purchased again, since they are permanent equipment. With a thousand new students there was an expense of more than \$400 to supply them with pins, not including the cost of labor in registering them or distributing the pins. With the entrance of the Union upon the handling of the affairs of the building there was an expense for office forms, books and other equipment which will not again be encountered within a reasonable term of years and by that time the depreciation charged against the equipment will be sufficient to replace it. As matters now stand, the Union uses daily much equipment which is the property of the alumni office but that in turn uses some Union equipment, so that the accounts would balance on that score.

It has been remarked about the campus that student fees were used to make up deficits in certain departments of the building. This is accurate, since the cash inventory as of November 20 shows an investment which will more than cover the difference between the amount of cash available for this fund on account of operation and maintenance and the total amount of student fees. It was, of course, necessary to use the funds available for conducting the business of the building, since no fund was provided for this purpose, but the amount is entirely proper and will be used according to the limitations fixed.

More general use of the building will result in a better state of affairs on the business end and consequent saving to those students who use the building. Since the first part of the fall term the use of the building generally has been steadily increasing, but is not yet at the point in several of the departments where a profit can be shown.

In the case of the cafeteria there is a small deficit which should be entirely erased in favor of a small profit through the operation of the building in the winter term, since enough business has already been contracted for that period to indicate a greatly increased use. The auditor who made a report on the books remarked that the business end of the building had achieved remarkable progress for the time it had been in operation which was surprising and unusual.

The Union Memorial building was erected and put into operation in response to repeated demands for such a place. It was done at great personal sacrifice of time and money on the part of many alumni; its success or failure depends upon its use by the students and the college community.

Those having criticisms to make concerning its affairs or suggestions to improve the service it can give are invited to send them to the Union office or deliver them personally to a member of the board or an employee of the Union. In order that they may be given the greatest consideration, they should be in writing and may or may not be signed. Those which are signed will bear more importance than those which are sent anonymously because the former will represent one individual's opinion. The Union is the students' organization; they should know all of the details as to how it is conducted and should be well enough informed concerning it to give helpful suggestions.

There will be a meeting of the Columbian Players Wednesday night at 7 o'clock prompt at the Union building. The meeting will be out in time for the 'V' carnival the same evening.



When Marquette university basketball team here Feb. 11, the northerners will bring one of the best centers that the Milwaukee outfit ever boasted of. He is no other than Cornelius "Connie" Dunn, brother of Marquette's all-American quarterback, "Red" Dunn, who scintillated for the northerners in 1922, 1923 and 1924 on the gridiron, basketball court and diamond. He is rated as a crack shot, fast floor worker, and a strong defensive player.

With the time for big league baseball teams to travel to southern haunts for the spring training looming but a little more than a month away, the usual dopsters are joining the winter stove leagues in the planning of the percentages and positions of the respective candidates for the world series in 1926.

The reserve infield strength of the team, an element which has set back the Bengals on numerous occasions in the past, has been strengthened with the acquisition of several minor league stars, who promise to make the race for positions interesting.

## SKATING SCHEDULE IS COMPLETED

Match With U. of M. Saturday.

Two definite hockey dates have been released by the athletic department. State's premier skaters will see for honors with the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor this week Saturday, February 5, will see the State team enter the U. of M. arena. A home and home card with the Notre Dame hockey team is being arranged.

## TANKMEN IDLE THIS WEEK

After taking a dual meet in swimming from the tankmen of Grand Rapids J. C. last Saturday, Michigan State swimmers will be idle this week. Next week they should be fully engaged with the University of Indiana in the local pool. The Hoosiers come here Saturday for the contest, and the remainder of the season's swimming card is as follows:

- Feb. 5, Wooster college, there.
- Feb. 6, Ohio Wesleyan, there.
- Feb. 11, Detroit City college, there.
- Feb. 17, Univ. of Michigan, here.
- Feb. 27, University of Notre Dame, there.

## ALDERMAN ENTERED IN URBANA CLASSIC

Premier Track Star to Vie For Laurels in Illinois Meet Next Week.

Michigan State's only title holder in the Western Conference track events, Frederick P. Alderman, will participate in the Illinois Athletic club hand-cup indoor meet on January 29. His two events for down at Urbana will be the 70 yard handicap race, and the 300 yard open. Alderman will be more adept at the latter distance, having performed the best on several occasions in indoor meets.

The possibility of State being represented by another of its track celebrities depends upon whether or not Bobo Grim, captain of the track team in physical shape. Grim is still handicapped by football injuries, which will keep him from wearing the Green and White down at the Illinois stronghold next week. Should he compete, how-

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## STATE FRESHMEN OPEN COURT CARD WITH BATTLE CREEK J. C.

### FOOD CITY SENDS FORMIDABLE OUTFIT HERE SATURDAY NIGHT TO START OFF YEARLINGS.

Coach "Taz" Taylor's freshmen basketballers will break into the 1926 court season this week Saturday when they clash with Battle Creek Junior college on the local floor.

Battle Creek comes here with a formidable outfit, which stands among the leaders of the opponents to appear on the yearling card for the year, and they no doubt will give the State outfit a real opening scrap.

From a squad of nearly sixty men, Coach Taylor which started the season practice sessions only comparatively a few have shown sufficient caliber of basketball to encourage them an opportunity to participate against the Food City crew this week.

Thorne, of Detroit, Northerners will probably get the center job. Miller of Alpen Central, and Kober of Grand Rapids Central, are like the good prospects. Michigan Central should start at the forward berth, but whether they do or not depends upon several things, such as how they look between now and Saturday, over and above the regular forward aspirants, and how Coach Taylor feels about the situation.

Among the few other bright spots in the "Fresh" squad are Hornbeck, who hails from Detroit Southern, state title team of last winter. Ed of Muskegon and Aldrich of Battle Rapids, both forwards.

## M. S. C. QUINTET TO PLAY NOTRE DAME

Hard Fought Fray Expected Saturday.

Out of state athletic schedules will carry two Michigan State teams to Indiana this week. Coach Kobs' all-fort basketballers will journey down to South Bend to meet Notre Dame, while Coach Rothman's wrestlers will grapple with Purdue University at Lafayette.

Both events are marked as the second to take place abroad in consecutive weeks, and it is the second time within two weeks that the State wrestlers will be called to Indiana. They met Indiana University the past week.

The work is cut out for the Kobsmen against Notre Dame Saturday night. The Irish are recognized to have one of the smooth outfits of the mid-west on the court. This season they have lost but one game this year, and that in the 1924 national inter-collegiate basketball championships at Franklin college.

Coach Kodge has a veteran combination to array against Michigan State this week, headed by Captain Grove and McNally, of the forwards, and Nicksol at the guard job. Last season this same Notre Dame outfit defeated State in two games.

Coach Kobs has had a difficult time in moulding together a new quintet here, necessitated by the loss of several veterans. He has accomplished much this term however, in the way of re-arranging his five, but too much com-

even, he will be entered in the same events as his teammate, Alderman.

Other men from here whose entry in the U. of M. meet, depends upon their showing between now and the close of entries, are as follows: Van Noppen in the hurdles, Kurtz in the high jump, and the distance squad, including Harjo, cross country captain, Seaman, Rippen, Thomas, Belt, Barney and Wiley.

**SATURDAY EVENING**  
January 23

Basketball: Varsity vs. Notre Dame at South Bend, Ind. Freshmen vs. Battle Creek J. C., James D. 8:00.

Wrestling: Varsity vs. Purdue at Lafayette, Ind.

Track: "Fresh" vs. Southwestern Gymnasium 2 p. m.

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