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State One of Favorites in the Premier Meet of Season Under Central Conference Auspices.

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DILL PICKLERS HOLD MEETING To Hold Meeting Tomorrow Night to Discuss Relation of Student to College.

The second meeting of the M. S. C. Dill Picklers club, the group fostered by the stimulation of thought within the college and open to any faculty member...

Kroll Meets Champion

The Spartan who can best Gram Kroll's records and realize his first of many who can, will meet still open to him in his favorite event, when he competes with Phillips, national intercollegiate champion of America...

Wylie Gets Great Chance

Wylie is picked to give a real account of himself when he gets one of the best chances of his career in the present. Last week Wylie tied the distance in 4:35.4 to show the existing gym record here, which was held by Huston...

McAtee a Favorite

Two weeks ago McAtee, the Spartan vaulted, tied for the championship of the Illinois Relay Carnival. Black Glazer of Marquette. Last Friday night, the State sophomore vaulted off form and he lost in dual competition to the Milwaukee ace...

SPARTANS PLAN SOUTHERN TOUR

Baseball Squad Booked for Nine Games in Sunny South.

With nine games booked for the spring during the spring holiday and baseball activities at Michigan are going forward on a more professional basis.

Only the Spartan horse-side chasers working out at the State Vocation school field house in Lansing. With the prospect of a Jannt south in view...

The catching problem still looms as the outstanding one. Katsanouna and Witter seems to be the outstanding men for the job at the present time.

Tulane University Party Discovers Long Lost Mayan City

New Orleans, La. (By New Student Service) Carefully carved, stone bridges, wide highways and the stone-floored terraces of a hitherto undiscovered Mayan city greeted the scientific expedition from Tulane university...

State Bandmen Take Bad Axe by Storm While Storm Takes Them

Two large blue buses loaded with gay troubadours, piled high with black instruments, crowded with bulky kettles, drums, left the Michigan State armory Friday morning at 7:30. Saturday night the last of these uninformed peep-hackers returned, drenched with muddy water, their shabby pants scraped and blackened, their uniforms baggy from March rains...

Colorado Dramatic Club Revives Old Tear-Producer With a Knowing Wink

(By New Student Service)—Beautiful Lena Rivers and her pitiful, loyal old grandmother set out to adjust their old-fashioned northern ways to southern social standards. Enters hard-hearted John Livingston and his cold, cruel daughter, Caroline. Will the hero, Edward Belmont, vindicate Lena the love she deserves? This old drama, "Lena Rivers," brought many a heartache to our mothers and sent our father's Adam's apple vibrating spasmodically.

WILL DETERMINE COLLEGE ORATOR EARLY NEXT TERM

Campus Championships Set for Occasion of Pi Kappa Delta Convention Here April 13-15.

CASH AWARDS

Cash Prizes to Both Finalists; Preliminaries on April 6; Compete for District Title Later.

J. D. Medill

Considerable interest is being shown over the approaching all-college oratorical championships to be held in April. According to Coach Henry Blake of the department of speech...

The preliminaries which will decide the first eliminations will be held April 6 and the championship contest will take place early during the three-day convention of Pi Kappa Delta...

The field for subject choice is unlimited and the contestants will be open to the entire undergraduate body of the college. Clearly will compete as well as men. A cash prize award of \$50 will go to the winner...

It is imperative that all interested students and prospective entries for the 1927 contests interview Coach Blake this week to be announced today. Entries must be received prior to the closing of winter term at the college.

TO CONDUCT SECOND CITIZENSHIP SCHOOL

To Be Sponsored by Michigan League of Women Voters in Cooperation with College.

The second school of citizenship to be conducted by the Michigan League of Women Voters in cooperation with the Michigan State College has been announced for April 6 to 8.

Questions concerning nomination and election of public officers will be given a number of outstanding speakers.

PROFESSOR TO RUN FOR EAST LANSING MAYORALTY

Dr. F. W. Chamberlain, Michigan State College professor, will be the candidate for the independent party for mayor of East Lansing at the city elections April 4. Dr. Chamberlain also ran for office last spring, losing to the present mayor, Luther H. Baker.

At the Union

Your spring term expenditures for classroom supplies will be reduced if you purchase them at the main desk and use your coupon book privilege.

March 19 is the final party of the term. Buy your tickets early since the number is limited.

SUMMER SCHOOL STARTS EARLIER

Details Announced by Dean Ryder; to Be in Session from June 20 to July 29.

Summer school dates and preliminary details have been announced by Prof. E. H. Ryder, dean of the liberal arts division. Posters containing the information on the summer session have been printed and are being posted on the campus.

Regular courses of study in agriculture, applied science, veterinary medicine, home economics, engineering, liberal arts and business administration will be offered this year.

In addition to the classes in the regular courses there will be a number of conferences. Most of these will be held after the close of the summer school.

ARMORY STEEL RIBS TAKE FORM

Construction of Building Being Hurried as Steel Workers Erect Structure.

Excluding more than 200,000 square feet of floor space the steel ribs of the new armory, home of the future military activities of the college, have been taken definite form and the system and form of the building are becoming more discernible.

This will be the first residence of a field house that Michigan State college has ever had and this will probably only be used during inclement weather or unusual track meets.

FORMER DEBATE COACH NOT TO RETURN TO STATE

D. C. Eckerman to Leave Public Speaking and Devote Time to Literature.

D. C. Eckerman, who for three years was an instructor in public speaking and coach of debating at Michigan State college, will not return next year. In a letter to Prof. W. W. Johnston, head of the English department, he states that he has decided to leave the field of public speaking and devote his time to literature.

HONORARY HOME ECON. FRAT. ADDS MEMBERS

Phedra services for Omicron Nu, the national honorary home economics organization, were held Saturday afternoon for Martha Stein, Mrs. Estelle Morse, Jetta Thompson, Mildred Peterson, Marguerite Sprague, Dorothy Shoosmith and Dorothea Edmonds.

DEBATERS LOSE TO MARQUETTE

Surpass Home Team in Fluency, Directness and Assurance.

Michigan State debaters failed to prove to the satisfaction of the judge that "the Volstead act" should be amended to permit manufacture and sale of light wines and beer."

The State team was composed of Ralph Beahan, Harry Smith and C. W. Kietzman. The opposing team was made up of leaders Goldberg, M. E. Young and Leonard C. Foss.

According to the judge, the visitors surpassed the home team in fluency, directness and assurance. The judge explained his decision by saying that in resourcefulness of meeting opposing arguments, the two teams seemed fairly equal, but he criticized some of the methods of false analogy used by the home team to cover up defects in consistency of their arguments.

An argument arose over constitutionality when Kietzman, the last rebuttal speaker, accused Marquette of violating a written agreement to waive the question of constitutionality. Marquette retorted with a denial but in the absence of the coach the matter could not be settled.

COLLEGE ASKS LARGE APPROPRIATIONS

Plan Many Improvements and Construction of Several Buildings.

Two bills introduced in the house of representatives last week by Rep. Fred McEachron, asking for appropriations totaling \$2,451,415 for new buildings, additional property, and improvements for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1928, and June 30, 1929 at Michigan State College.

College improvements proposed include women's dormitories, improvement to grounds, minor buildings and repairs to existing buildings, new equipment, president's house, recitation hall, physics building and equipment additions for gymnasium, agricultural engineering building, judging pavilion, beef cattle and sheep barns, poultry plant and dairy barn.

ELECT NEW OFFICERS OF AGRICULTURIST

George Farley to Be New Editor; Arnold Bean Chosen Business Manager.

George Farley was elected editor of the Michigan Agriculturist at the college elections over J. Wallace Clark, his opponent. Arnold Bean was chosen business manager. His opponent was Ivan Schneider.

Considerable interest was taken by the agricultural students in the election as 226 votes were cast which represents more than two-thirds of the agricultural student body.

HUGE AUDIENCE SEES ORGAN DEDICATED

Frank Wrigley, Organist, Well Received; Sunday Contributions for Organ \$2,000.

Hundreds of people were turned away from the doors of the new First Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon, due to the auditorium being crowded with college and East Lansing residents who came to hear the dedication of the new pipe organ.

The contributions offered for the new organ on Sunday afternoon amounted to more than \$2,000. These contributions were cash offerings and not in the form of subscriptions.

All during the dedication, Wrigley held his audience delighted by his rendition. Olive Tolson Henkel gave the vocal offerings for the occasion, and her numbers proved extremely interesting to her listeners.

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Campus Forum

R. R. M. is an interesting contributor to these columns. Best of all he is taking an active interest in college affairs. We wish that we had many more men like him in this institution, for we firmly believe that "the man who knocks is your own best booster", and think of what a lot of free advertising we could get!

To most of us it would seem that R. R. M. is afflicted with the most venomous stage of "inferiority complex"; the desire to criticize. What the college needs is backing, not criticism, or if there is a need for criticism, why not make it constructive?

Personally, most of us prefer to realize that there are other people in the world and to mix with them rather than to advise their girls to go to along with their good times. Most of us are not in the habit of having our girl friends confined to such a climate by a self-appointed tribunal who says that he is looking for justice. In the next freshman class meeting why don't these girls make an attempt for justice?

Who are the great men of whom R. R. M. speaks, the men who "have the power and stuff to be masters in this world", and who presumably live in an atmosphere of books and gray walls of sackcloth and ashes? Even Abraham Lincoln, the man styled "the perfect American" had the nerve to go to dances and to associate with a girl. Wasn't "Abe's" greatest asset his understanding of his people? One wonders if he gained this understanding from a physiology book or from his association with other Americans?

A stranger reading R. R. M.'s forum discussion would gather that State students are a bunch of tea hounds. The truth is that there are so few of us who can handle a teacup without feeling that our hands are pillows. Most of us can't see the disgrace of a little sugar taint. If we show our ignorance by not being able to wear a tux, who collar without developing a red band around our necks, if we demonstrate our incompetence by our being able to fraternize with our fellows, then ignorance is truly bliss and the world feeds upon it.

R. R. M. is after a change. Yet a long time ago Diogenes lived in a barrel by himself. Times have changed since then. Now Diogenes would be living in a big brick building maintained by the state. Evidently Diogenes didn't believe in parties or girls or proms. Yes, that is one famous character we know who didn't believe in such things. Where are the others? And yet, Diogenes never mastered the world. We couldn't even imagine his running a grocery store.

The Student Council makes a plan, and a just plan that students show more regard for the appearance of the campus and refrain from walking on the grass. We would like to add a warning, especially to freshman who are not entirely familiar with some parts of the campus, that there is sometimes danger in stepping off the sidewalk. It is not uncommon to become tired and lose a valuable rubber.

It was merely an wise common agreement not to have something for which there was no use. We point out the inconsistency of the editorial from which we quote where the writer says almost in the same breath that "the ordinary citizen has grown suspicious of 'no dues' organizations", and in the next sentence, "the American public is dues shy."

We are chided for free thinking by a writer who takes the liberty of "free thinking" we are wasting our time. We are asked to retire into seclusion to do the job and we reply that these discussions have been imposed on no one who has not attended. When editorial writers base their writings on actual knowledge, the landscape and maddening by-standers will escape the usual spray of belittled journalistic saliva.

It is a wholesome sign when college students shake off their lethargy and indifference sufficiently to take an interest in society and its problems, to exchange ideas and to learn to express their own ideas. If anyone doubts the value of some discussion in groups, let them turn to history.

Most of us in college are, as yet, not so old as to think that the world is perfect and that nothing remains that could be bettered by change.

The Ann Arbor theaters have solved their problem with the students of the university by their decision to give the students a free show every time Michigan wins a conference championship unless the students "take a good horse to death." Although to ride through the doors wide open will rob the students of the fun of "rushing" the theater, it will no doubt alleviate the hard feelings between the two factions and will be good advertising for the theaters.

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SENIOR CLASSMEN ENJOY FORMAL

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For the last time in their college career the senior class attired themselves in formal evening clothes and made merry together at the Women's clubhouse Friday evening.

Dancing to the music of one of Detroit's best orchestras, 65 senior couples and their invited guests enjoyed a riotous evening. Refreshments were served at 11 o'clock.

The grand march occurred early in the evening and was led by Paul Engle, president of the senior class, and his guest, Miss Rachel Perry of Ypsilanti. Favors consisting of programs bearing the college emblem and fountain pens were given at the end of the march.

Patrons for the occasion were Prof. O'Neil Mason of the chemistry department and Lieut. Charles Chase of the regular army.

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DILL PICKLES AND SOUR ONES

"There is a suggestion of disappointment in that the dill picklers out at M. S. C. has organized," says an editorial in the Lansing State Journal. It's a good thing college folks, don't do things to please metropolitan dailies, but then if they have to be disappointed in something, it might as well be college folks.

To quote the editorial still further: "The Dill Pickle Club is reported dedicated to free thought, yet in their first move they show themselves enthralled by the present vice of organization. The decision to have no dues is of course praiseworthy, but not original. Furthermore, from sad experience, the ordinary citizen has grown suspicious of 'no dues' organizations. The American public has become 'dues shy' so to speak. Free thought is a consideration with an appeal, but so often 'free thought' signifies merely staid conversation. If the young free thinkers will continue to think freely and capiously, retiring the meanwhile to seclusion to do the job, the landscape and offending by-standers will escape the usual spray of belittled saliva."

We have searched with no avail for an excuse for writing this editorial which appeared in the Journal but have been unable to find anything other than an apparent desire to express disappointment in the college student.

As might be expected from one so far removed, the writer is not informed in the first place when he says that the club has become enthralled at their first meeting in the vice of organization. For the enlightenment of the public in general, let us state that there is no organization; that one may become a member of simply walking into the meeting place, and that he may cease to be a member by simply saying to himself, "I am no longer a member." There are no officers and no dues. The only thing that could be misconstrued to mean organization is the fact that there are those who take the initiative in leading discussion just as in anything we humans do together, there are always those who take the initiative.

As for "no dues" not being original—we do not remember of such a claim.

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The senior formal held at the Women's Club house Friday night... first place in social prominence last week-end.

Alpha Chi

Ellen Clemens was in Saginaw over the week-end while Dorothy Hartman was in Detroit.

Ero Alphan

Grace Palmer of Port Huron spent the week-end as a visitor at the house.

Pythian

Margerie Kenyon spent the week-end at her home in Portland and Francis Tallman and Louise Niland were guests of Geraldine Gillespie.

Alpha Phi

The formal party was held Saturday evening in the Episcopal Guild hall at Lansing with music by Jean Goldkette's Troubadours.

Kappa Alpha Theta

The formal party was held Saturday evening at the Lansing Country club with music by the Arabian Nights orchestra.

College Residence

Mr. and Mrs. D. Sherman of Toledo were the guests of their daughter, Joanna Deane over the week-end.

Lambda Chi Alpha

P. Ashley and C. Moor went to Bad Axe with the band.

Themian

Mrs. Bates, the house mother, is visiting her daughter in Detroit. Miss Audrey Hickman is taking her place until her return.

Elva Bowen and Flossie Pangborn spent the week-end in Grand Rapids and Helen Hutchinson went to Flint Saturday.

The formal dinner dance will be held Saturday, March 19, at the Olds hotel. Wallace Bennett's orchestra will furnish the music.

William Wilson, Marvin Marsh and Ray Fair were guests at the house over the week-end.

C. Hallock, William Handley and Herbert Brower spent the week-end at their homes.

Kappa Delta The Misses Lindie, Lorraine and Evelyn Bunge spent the week-end in Windsor and Agnes Trumbull, Evelyn Oliver and Ho Smith were in Grand Lodge.

Bernice Mitchell was a guest over the week-end.

Alpha Gamma Delta Guests at the house for the week-end were Nerla Gill of Hartford, Grace Austin of Battle Creek, Victoria Eldridge of Grand Rapids, Edith Brown Azell, Grand Rapids and Evelyn Curran, Chelsea.

Mildred Knox spent the week-end at her home in Saginaw.

Hilberst Edna Armstrong of Fenton was a guest of Dora Stock over the week-end.

The following girls were away for the week-end: Lillian Bradley to Grand Haven, Catherine Barron to Grand Rapids, Dorothy Butler to Detroit and Dorothy Clements to Holland.

Phi Chi Alpha An open house was sponsored Saturday evening at which Prof. A. B. Cox and Mrs. Hort of Lansing were patrons.

A basketball game was played with the Hermione Monday evening in which the latter team won.

Ennomian Philip Locke and Bernard Alms spent Saturday in Kalamazoo. Eric Juhl went to Jackson Sunday, and Morris Lamoreux and Ralph Stingle spent the week-end in Comstock Park.

Walter McLean has left school on account of illness.

Robert Hawes spent the week-end at Parma, Willard Sweeney at Saginaw, Arthur Robinson and Norman Burke at Elsie, Gerald Knapp and Harold Falk at Monroe, Clive Rosenbrook at Onondaga.

Delphic Norwood Griffin and David Johnson of Western State Normal were guests of Richard Witek, Praday, Mr. Wilson and his swimming team from Holland over the week-end.

Ray Bower was called to his home in Truxton on account of the death of his brother.

Abbott Hall The following girls spent the week-end at their homes: Kathryn Greston, larger in Perry Ann Meyer in Chelsea, Frances Green in Goodrich, Margaret Preston in Charlotte, Ruth Cameron Ann Arbo and Phelan Taylor in Brighton.

Rosemary Hudson of Alma and Rose were the guests of Athene Oden over Sunday.

Eclectic Charles Parrish of Detroit was a visitor at the house over the week-end.

Practice House Florence Albright was a dinner guest Saturday evening.

Delta Sigma Phi Carl Turner of Olivet college was a week-end guest of Earl Halladay.

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SPARTAN TRACK MEN OVERWHELM MILWAUKEE TEAM

Marquette Falls in 75 to 36 Defeat; Green and White Hold Lead After Third Event.

By Dale B. Stafford

When a team is hoped to beat another and then loses by a considerable score, defeat is much harder to take; but when that same team comes back the next year and upsets the dope bucket by literally swamping the winner in the previous year, then revenge is doubly sweet.

This was just what happened in the gym Saturday night, when the Michigan State College track team kept its 1927 record unmarred by downing Marquette university of Milwaukee, Wis., 75 to 36. After about the third event the Spartans swept into the lead and were never headed by the plucky Milwaukee crew.

The victory makes the chances of State in the Central Intercollegiate meet at Notre Dame, Ind., Saturday night look about two times as good as before. State demonstrated balance of power in the meet Saturday night and lack of this is what kept the Spartans from winning the Central association event last season.

Probably the outstanding feature of the meet was the record made by Wylie in the mile run. The Spartan "war horse" negotiated the distance in 4:58, which shattered the old record by approximately eight full seconds. Wylie and Pilgner of Marquette put up a neck and neck race until the last 50 yards of the race when the State star began his customary sprint. Here the Marquette men gave up all hope.

The pole vault also was a feature event. Glover of Marquette finally defeated McAtce of State by vaulting 12 feet 8 inches. This shattered the Michigan State College gymnasium record. McAtce of State cleared 12 feet 4 inches, but failed by a hair to make the mark the Hilltop athlete cleared.

Wareham, new found State hurdler, continued to improve and took first place in the high and a tie for first in the low. Wareham seems to be a natural athlete and should set a fast clip when the team takes to the outdoors.

The dashes were probably the biggest factor in deciding the meet. Grim and Lang finished one-two in the 40 while Alderman, Lang and Benson finished in the order named in the farlong. Alderman seems to be recovering from his leg injury and will undoubtedly show a neat pair of heels to the stars who will compete in the Central Intercollegiate event. Grim rules a favorite to win the short dash event at Notre Dame.

In the shot, Elliston, Smith, and Barratt finished in the order named. This, along with the 220, were State's slams. The relays saw Coach Young splitting his team considerably. The mile team finished almost a lap ahead of Marquette while the half mile team finished about two yards ahead of Marquette.

BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Southern Trip

March 26—(Pending) Kentucky Wesleyan or Berea College.
 March 28, 29, 30—Fort Benning.
 March 31—Mercer University.
 April 1—(Pending) Maryville College or Fort Oglethorpe.
 April 2—(Pending) Maryville College.
 April 4—St. Xavier.
 April 5—University of Dayton.

Home Schedule

April 13—Albion at East Lansing.
 April 16—Kalamazoo College at East Lansing.
 April 20—University of Dayton at East Lansing.
 April 21—Adrian at East Lansing.
 April 23—Olivet at East Lansing.
 April 26—Michigan at Ann Arbor.
 April 28—West Virginia at East Lansing.
 May 5—Hope College at East Lansing.
 May 7—Notre Dame at South Bend.
 May 13—Bradley Tech. at East Lansing.
 May 14—Father at East Lansing.
 May 20—St. Xavier at East Lansing.
 May 25—Notre Dame at East Lansing.
 May 28—Armour Tech. at East Lansing.
 June 11—Michigan at East Lansing.
 June 11—St. Xavier at East Lansing.

WRESTLERS MAKE PRAISEWORTHY SEASON RECORD

Meet Seven Formidable Opponents; Take Four Meets and Pile Up Big Score Total

By Roscoe Bloss, '30

Coach Leonard's wrestlers have made one of the best records this past season that a Spartan team has ever made. Meeting seven formidable opponents, three of them Big Ten conference colleges, and taking four meets as well as piling up a total of more scores than their opponents is the accomplishment of the State grapplers.

The first meet took place Jan. 8, just five days after the opening of the winter term and the return of the men to practice. Despite this fact, Coach Leonard got his men into shape to give the University of Cincinnati a 19-0 defeat. Gibbs, Landsburg, Bergquist, Bean and Kurrie won points in this meet.

Defeat Univ. of Chicago

The fracas a week later with the University of Chicago promised to be hard and the Spartan camp worked hard all that week under the expert tutelage of Coach Leonard. Due to the amount of spirit and pep the State grapplers went into every match with, they emerged with a 14-11 victory. Gibbs did not wrestle that night as the bout was forfeited him by the Chicago team. The other nine points were gathered by Avery, Landsburg and Barratt.

The following Saturday the State matmen had the U. M. on their hands. Not deterred by the fact that the Wolverine team is nearly always high in the Big Ten circles, the Spartans did their best, which was undoubtedly the highest score made against Michigan this year. Gibbs and Kurrie were State's winners, scoring eight points to Michigan's 15. Other of State's men were nearly successful in winning, and showed very well against their more experienced opponents.

Lose on Road Trip

Another road trip was in store for the Spartans the following weekend, Jan. 20, when they traveled to Columbus to take on Ohio State, a Big Ten college, and much larger than Michigan State. The final score was 10-0, with State on the small end. Two decisions were gained by Gibbs and

TRACK SCHEDULE

April 23—Ohio Relays at Columbus.
 April 23—Fresh-Soph meet at East Lansing.
 April 29, 30—Penn. Relays at Philadelphia.
 April 30—Interclass meet at East Lansing.
 May 7—Detroit City College at East Lansing.
 May 11—Notre Dame at South Bend.
 May 20, 21—State Intercollegiate at East Lansing.
 May 27, 28—I. C. A. A. A. A. A. championships at Philadelphia.
 June 4—Central Intercollegiate at Chicago.
 June 11—National Collegiate at Chicago.

Bergquist, while Ohio received two falls and three decisions. To come back home and receive another Big Ten wrestling team a week later, Feb. 5, after two successive defeats, was the lot of Coach Leonard's men. Northwestern was the opponent and by taking three falls and one decision, they were able to win the meet. The score was 19-5 and Gibbs, Kurrie and Black won for State. Gibbs made an exceptional showing in this contest. Confronted with the problem of winning from Kemper, he had to be constantly on the defense as his opponent was an accomplished scissors artist.

Notre Dame Falls 36-0

With three consecutive defeats, the wrestlers had a week to consider the next meet, with Notre Dame, Feb. 11. Not much was known of the strength of the Irish in this line, but the Spartans decided not to take any chances and, exhibiting some of the best wrestling here this season, they completely snowed under the visitors with a score of 36-0. The Irish were unable to gain a single second time advantage. Bergquist, Bean, Black and Mohrhardt and Haskins gained falls, while Barratt and Kurrie received decisions.

NORTHWESTERN TAKES SWIM MEET

As was freely predicted Detroit Northwestern literally splashed away with the annual Michigan Intercollegiate swimming meet held in the Michigan State College tank Friday and Saturday.

The Colts amassed a total of 57 points. In second place came Highland Park with a total of 26 points. Redford was third with fourteen points.

Three records went by the boards during the meet. The event was probably the most successful held. Followers of aquatic sport in Michigan are more than anxious to see what the Northwestern team will do at the National Intercollegiate meet to be held in the Northwestern University pool later in the month.

MAKE SHAU CAPTAIN OF FROSH BASKETBALL TEAM

Henry Shau, star athlete in both football and basketball, has been honored with the captaincy of the freshman basketball team. He has played a guard all season and was the outstanding player because of his ability and also his size. He is a rather husky lad of 190 pounds, standing almost six feet tall. He was regular in the fullback berth on the freshmen football team last fall. The freshmen basketball team under the tutelage of Coach Barney Traylor lost only one game of a hard schedule during the season. Shau comes from Schererville, Ind., the boyhood home of Coach Ralph Young.

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The last meet of the season came two weeks later with Ohio university, Ohio conference champion and conquerer of West Virginia, one of the strong teams of the east. Feb. 26 this college was met here and Spartan wrestlers made a fitting close for the formal season by giving them a defeat of 17-10. This was a close and exciting match all the way through. Gibbs, Bergquist, Kurrie and Barratt won by decisions and Landsburg took a fall.

Some interesting facts are gleaned from the season total. Gibbs was the high point man with 20 points in his favor. Next are Kurrie with 17, Bergquist with 16 and Landsburg with 13. Due to physical inability, Landsburg wrestled in only five of the seven bouts. Michigan State's total of scores was 108, while her opponents gathered only 90.

George Landsburg, wrestler in the 137 pound class, is the captain-elect of the team. Landsburg is a sophomore member of Alpha Gamma Rho, and hails from Lansing. There is only one big reason for the increased interest and achievement of wrestling at State and he is

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