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THE SPARTAN WELCOME

Outside of the fact that a number of freshmen insisted on wearing their pots during the singing of Alma Mater, the Spartan welcome was a big success. Blue Key has again proved its worth to the State campus by supporting the founding of a tradition which should become a beautiful tribute to the Spartan spirit of friendliness and hospitality.

May the name of Clyde Olin shine with still more power for his remarks, the first of their kind ever made in an attempt to take the sting out of the rules and regulations governing freshman conduct on the campus. We see no reason why a freshman should be ashamed to wear the pot of his class or obey the laws which his predecessors originated for the betterment of his own chosen Alma Mater.

And then at the end, Dean John Pheasant sounded the keynote of Spartan success when he asked to unity in every effort supported by the college. That has built our superiority over Michigan in many ways—the fact that Michigan students have not grown student organization. They have loads of spirit, but they do not move together. "Shoulder to shoulder" it is Dean Pheasant, and we thank you for your slogan!

Our editor says that if all the uniforms issued from our military department were laid end to end, it would be a helluva job to pile them up again.

One of our reporters states in an article that the library is again holding the students. We wonder how in the lap of knowledge?

NOTICE

Big changes are about to take place in this column according to our French editor, following his conference with a representative of the Irish Free State. We feel that Ireland is becoming more and more a staff power every day. The Irish helped to make America free, so why shouldn't they have room to tell about it in our press? Watch this column!

JABS AFTER THE FIGHT

Paul Rivera got his lanterns lit on Thursday night and nearly upset the sport dose. Some people never will learn that a man may be down and not out. Someone rushed over to the gym and asserted that Tunney had over-slept during the main go on Soldier's field. A lot of men had changed hands, but changed back again before they suffered any punches from the fight.

A big bit of hard feeling always arises over such moments of keen competition, but Thursday night proved that not even fraternity brothers are immune from such spirit. Along in the night that Dempsey ripped a hard right into Tunney's blow and Tunney was a hit! Which goes to show that some radio find wasn't satisfied with just listening to the greatest fight contest in history but had to litter up the shop with a lot of static just because the coupler in his head was loose on the question of wireless.

Most people could never lose their temper with a man who was helping them to a million dollar gate receipt, but Tunney seems to have forgotten his best friend during the contest. Some people mentioned the fact however that Dempsey never received a jab on his rebuff olfactory organ. Perhaps they marked off that territory in the contract, before Estelle would let her Jackie play with Gene.

A lot of people felt safe when they sat two or three hundred miles away from the ringside to get the fight, but the way that some of these listeners tossed the furniture about when the returns came in, a lot of us would have been safer boxing in one of the preliminaries.

Following the fight, a lot of men bought new topcoats and suits, but many of us just went home to sew on buttons and get out the flat iron.

CAMPUS CALENDAR

Tonight: Union party at the Union hall.
Tomorrow, 2:30 p. m.: Michigan vs. Kalamazoo College.
Sunday: Special services at the people's church.
Monday, 5:00 p. m.: senior class meeting.
Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.: chess club meets at the Union.

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FOOTBALL TO START TOMORROW

INAUGURATE NEW STATE TRADITION WITH CEREMNOY

"Spartan Welcome" Becomes Part of College Tradition Today

GOVERNOR ABSENT

Olin, Grimes, Pangborn Represent Students During Welcoming Exercises

Inaugurating what is to be a new tradition on the college campus during the ensuing years, the "Spartan Welcome" an enthusiastic part of the student body turned out for this morning's program on the drill field.

The crowd was denied the presence of Governor Green whose duties were filled gratifyingly by Deputy Attorney General Doyle. Attorney Doyle welcomed the new students on behalf of the Governor and the state department. He laid particular stress on the expectations of the state as regards the new members of the campus and their future.

L. Whitney Watkins, chairman of the state board of agriculture, acted as presiding chairman and was introduced by James B. Hasselman of the college publications department. Watkins gave a rousing talk on school spirit, expressing himself as behind the college and every student in the college. He stressed the duty and love that every member of the college owed to his Alma Mater, emphasizing the need of clean living and hard work.

Director of Athletics, Ralph H. Young spoke on behalf of the faculty in welcoming the new students, and complimenting the class of men who are participating in athletics for this year. He promised a fine, cleanly fought game for Saturday. He expressed the opinion that there would be many unpolished spots in the line up due to lack of practice, but promised that these would be overcome by spirit and enthusiasm.

Miss Flossie Pangborn, president of the Women's Self-Governing Association, spoke of the hope and new spirit which the incoming class brought to the college and promised cooperation with it. She was followed by Clyde Olin, president of the student council, who spoke on college traditions, stressing their stability, and bidding the new students welcome, doubly if they would adhere to them. Also he complimented the sophomore class for its rigid enforcement of these campus regulations.

FALL TERM SEES MANY CHANGES

Twenty New Instructors and New Philosophy Department Greatest Change.

More than 20 new instructors were added to the college staff this summer and took up their duties with the beginning of school last Tuesday. Some new and interesting courses have also been added to the curriculum.

Some replacements were made but most of the new instructors have been added to take care of the increasing enrollment here. Probably the most noteworthy addition to the college is the new Philosophy department, which is headed by Prof. H. C. Coffman who comes to State from Columbia university.

Many Changes
Dr. E. A. Bessey took charge of the science division. A new associate professor has been appointed to the physics department, to replace Prof. L. G. Merrill, who will study for his doctor's degree at Cornell university. The professor is Dr. Clark Chamberland, who was for 12 years president of Denison college of Grandville, Ohio.

In the home economics department the new instructors include Miss Lois Kinn, graduate of Iowa Agricultural college, who will teach related art; Miss Marian Lewis, of Carnegie Technical institution, teacher of clothing design and textiles; Miss Sylvia Metzger, of Columbia, teacher of foods; Miss Katherine Miller, graduate of Merrill-Palmer school in Detroit, who has charge of the nursery school.

The economics department, replaced Prof. A. B. Forsberg with Dr. William Haber as professor of industrial relations; Dr. W. A. Hewitson succeeds E. M. Thrun. No one has been appointed to take the place of Prof. J. T. Horner, agricultural economics instructor, who will spend the year studying at Robert Brookings Graduate School of Economics at Washington, D. C.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE

All students who want to get on the State News staff in any capacity, hand in or mail your names to John Kelly, editor or to Wayne Barkwell, business manager. If you have had any experience, mention that fact. Experience is not necessary. All we want is willingness and perseverance. We need men and women reporters for straight news staff, for athletics, society, humor, cartoons, etc. Let us hear from some of you embryo journalists.

FRESHMAN EXCEL IN PHYSICAL CONDITION

Dr. Olin States New Men As a Whole Are Best Ever Examined.

With the medical examinations of the new men students, practically finished, Dr. Olin, who is in charge of the college hospital, states that the physical condition of the men as a whole is the best that has ever been examined in the Michigan State hospital.

The men students were examined on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday of last week and the girls are being examined this week at night. All the men who have been added Dr. Olin in these examinations are doctors widely known in the state medical work. Among them were Dr. A. E. Owen, eye ear and throat specialist; Dr. Christensen and Dr. Bower, chest specialists; Dr. Russell and Dr. Randall, abdominal specialists.

MAKE CHANGES IN LIBRARY STAFF

500 New Books Ordered for Library; Reference and Fiction Included

Several changes in the library staff have been made for the coming year as three of the members have left their positions for study and other work.

Miss Rose B. Phelps, who was in charge of the reference department has obtained a year's leave of absence and will attend Columbia University. Her position will be filled by Miss Catherine Harris, a recent graduate of Vassar. Miss Esther Betts of the cataloging department has resigned to take a position at the University of Michigan as head of the cataloging department of the new library. Her work will be taken over by Miss Lovella Henderson.

The assigned reading room where the majority of the students do their library work will be headed by Geraldine Atcher of the University of Michigan. Marjorie Hinesburgh who formerly was in charge is attending Williams and Mary college in North Carolina.

A large addition to the books has also been made more than 500 new volumes having been ordered during the summer. These will include for the most part books required in reference work and those assigned for reading by the English department.

While only a small portion of the new volumes purchased have arrived, holders are shipping them as fast as possible. Many of the books are difficult to obtain because of their rarity. It is expected that the purchase price will amount to about \$1200.

Investigation Reveals Final Fee Destinations

Judging from the remarks heard in the line leading into the treasurer's office last Monday, those who unpacked their pocketbooks and purses were concerned over the final resting place of their fees. After an interview with Treasurer Jacob Schepers, the matter unfolds itself.

Tuesday morning the account books showed that approximately \$125,000 had been collected from the students of this institution for the fall term. This amount covers all the various student expenses which are payable at the treasurer's office. Besides every student's being required to pay the course fee and the \$11.25 fees voted by the students for the athletic department, class dues, Student Council Union fee, and the State News and Wolverine, the non-residents of the State must pay a matriculation fee of \$5.00 which goes to pay for the Michigan Agriculturalist; and certain students pay room rent to the college. All of these items figure in the total amount.

After this money is all collected it is divided almost immediately under the two heads: college funds, and student funds. From the college fund \$100,000 must be paid to the college. Mr. Schepers explains here that the maintenance of this institution costs over two million dollars annually; so that the hundred thousand dollars collected from students figures as about one twenty-fifth of the expense, and that the winter and spring term receipts would be even less than that. The money deposited under student funds is a far more difficult proposition to handle, for it must all be

NEW MEN TAKE POSITIONS IN BOTANY DEPARTMENT

Dr. Coons Takes Six Week Trip to Colorado For Government

Several changes were made in the personnel of the botany department for this term, according to Dean C. A. Bessey, head of applied science. Dr. G. H. Coons is absent on a six week trip to Colorado, New Mexico, California, and Utah on business for the U. S. department of agriculture in the work against the sugar beet disease. His work here at State as head of department of the plant disease will be done for him by special investigator for the government.

Two new men have taken positions as graduate assistants. They are, E. A. Walker, who will succeed Henry Osting, due to the fact that he has received an appointment at the University of Minnesota, and L. M. Ames will take R. Dieter's place as a half time graduate assistant. Mr. Dieter has gone to the Iowa State college and is to do work there. Both men who have left State were given their M. S. degrees here.

THEATER NEARS FINISHED STAGE

Expect to Open Show by First of NovemberW Stores to Be Opened Soon After.

Work on the new business block in East Lansing, which will be known as the "Astor Block" is rapidly nearing completion and the new theatre will probably be ready for use by the first of November according to a statement given out by R. A. Fanning today. Mr. Fanning, who is head of the local committee, also announced that most of the business offices and stores will be opened for active business shortly after that date.

All of the apartments, of which there are 15, have been rented and are now in use. Several of the business offices on the second floor have been leased and aside from the beautiful new bank block, one store has already been taken for a shoe store.

The contract for the decorations in the theatre has been made up by the Butterfield Co. and work will soon start on the installation of the expensive new pipe organ.

The general plans for the interior show that the lower floor will slope down from the lobby to a fine little stage and orchestra pit. The balcony will probably accommodate 20 rows. The architecture will closely resemble all the other new theatres put up by Butterfield around the state.

Approximate figures for the entire cost of construction of this new block including the cost of land and price of erection of the new block and theatre are \$200,000. Aside from bringing a valuable business in East Lansing the theatre will furnish a place for the centering of much student interest.

Plans as to the type of program which will be offered by the theatre have not as yet been completed. It is doubtful whether credit will be earned because of the smallness of the theatre, however the management has assured the committee of local men the highest grade of photo pictures obtainable.

KALAMAZOO TO INITIATE SEASON ON SPARTAN GRIDIRON SATURDAY

PROBABLE LINEUPS

Kalamazoo	Michigan State
Muehlenberg	L.E. Hornbeck
Johnson	L.T. Joslyn
Barnes	E.G. Hittings
Glezen (Capt)	C. Ross
Wicks	R.G. Grimes
Watson	R.T. Ferrari
Schrier	R.F. Christensen
Whitney	Q.B. Dickson
Black	L.H. Capt. Smith
Chambers	R.H. McCosh
Davis	E.R. Wilson

Players Are Fairly Certain to Be Those Promised by Fall Practice

PLAN CHEERING SECTION

Every Effort Being Made for Large Student Attendance at First Game.

REGISTRATION MARK RAISES

RECORD NOW 2,706; STILL MOUNTING AS LATE COMERS REGISTER

Registration continued to mount throughout the week although the official period of entering and classifying has passed.

Thursday afternoon the total number of students entered here amounted to 2,706, exceeding last year's figure by 272 names. The number of freshmen amounted to 947. Upperclassmen are continuing to enter, but it is expected that before another week is passed the record will have been pushed up to 2,750.

Although the enrollment of the freshmen classes during the last two years has been decreasing, the same growth in the incoming body has continued. This is due to the graduation of a small number of students last year, and a large freshman class mounting to the appearance group. Enrollment of the University of Michigan, due to the loss of considerable freshmen classes of a little over 1,000 members entering, is reported. The total enrollment of the Ann Arbor school is between 10,000 and 11,000. This shows a falling off of about 2,000 this year, which is thought to be due to the raising of requirements for entering.

NEW CHEMISTRY BUILDING OPENS

Luxurious Furnishings and Stone Finish Are Featured

The new chemistry and metallurgy building, which has been opened by the Michigan State University, is a fine example of modern architecture. The building is a two-story structure, with a stone finish and luxurious furnishings. It is located on the campus and is a very attractive building.

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At the Union

All students must register at the Union and they will be issued membership cards for the fall term. These will be stamped after registration in the winter, spring and summer terms.

If you have freshman textbooks for sale leave them at the main desk. There is a heavy demand for several.

Your name is engraved free on the fountain pen or pencil you purchase at the Union. For a small charge it will be engraved on the pen you have. Pens will be repaired promptly if left at the main desk.

Your favorite magazines and newspapers will be carried at the Union if you do not find them there now.

Use the Union. It means a direct profit to yourself and the opportunity for it to extend its service.

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FIGHT

Michigan State's football schedule opens tomorrow, and for the next two weeks, football will be the main topic of conversation around the campus. Nearly every student will attend the opening game and most of the remaining games. Every man on the squad has been giving his time and energy without stint for the past two weeks in a sincere effort to get into condition to do his bit for his alma mater when he is called. The coaches have been worrying and fretting in an effort to get a winning combination to gether in order that the Green and White may bring home the bacon.

The football squad and the coaches have done their bit and will carry on, but it is now up to the students to come through and support the team. This means that every student who is physically able should be in the stands when the white blows tomorrow afternoon. It also means that he should stick until the final gun ends the hostilities. We don't want to see any one slinking away before the game is over, no matter how the tide of battle turns. We hope that State can win, but if States does not win, we want every man back of the team. The team will be out there to win and we want every loyal supporter out there to cheer them on to victory, but, if the fates should turn against us, we want the boys to know that we're still behind them.

The new cheering sections are to be organized during tomorrow's game and every loyal Spartan ought to sit in the section where he can do his little bit. Let's forget our dates for the day. Your girl will think more of you if she knows that you are backing the team the best you can. If she doesn't, she is no girl for a Spartan. The crowds will be out in force in their own cheering section and there should be a wholesome rivalry between the men's and women's sections. Let's all cooperate with the cheer leaders and put this new cheering section over with a bang.

Remember, a good start is every thing, and State has a tough schedule to face this year. Let's start the varsity right tomorrow and give them a rousing sendoff that will not only carry them to victory over Kalamazoo, but will instill a sort of victory complex in them that will carry them through the season. They will battle hard, no matter what the student body does, for they are all fighters, but they will battle twice as hard when they know that their sacrifice is being appreciated and that every Spartan in the stands is with them to the end.

With this in mind, let's go out to the game and keep up the chatter, cheer with line in spirit, and plunge with the backfield. Feel every crashing tackle and thrill to every brilliant run. When the team is back to their goal line fighting heroically for every inch, battle with them. When they launch a brilliant offensive toward the Kalamazoo goal line, don't let up until the pigskin is safely between the orange and black goal posts. The old Spartans never was conquered and we, as Spartans, never can be beaten while we fight, so let's get in there and battle with the team until the final whistle sounds.

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Union Shows Great Growth During Last Several Years

In the first days of its existence, when it was organized in 1916, the Union was developed as a general group of students and faculty members with the purpose of, at some future date, providing a home for its activities. The idea of such a place and such a group originated in the early English universities, where unions were developed first as debating societies and, through the entertainment of visiting debaters, into social centers for the institutions. The movement gained impetus in some of the older universities and colleges in the United States some twenty years ago and has since spread to most of the larger institutions of higher learning together with a general effort to provide the proper housing facilities for the organizations formed.

The Michigan State Union was known as the M. A. C. Union previous to last February when the name was officially changed on the articles of association filed with the secretary of state. It had developed for seven years as a leader in student activities before it became of enough importance to have it incorporated under the laws of the state. The change in name of the College was followed by the official change in the designation of the Union. Until the fall of 1925, the Union had no home worthy of the name to house its various activities. They were carried on through the office of the alumni secretary who was ex officio secretary of the Union board and the location of his office was often a matter of conjecture. Now through the aid of the alumni the Union has a home comparable to the best in the country.

As a matter of having its business carried out according to the requirements of the laws of the state and its own bylaws the Union is operated through a board of directors. This is composed of representatives of the faculty and the state board of agriculture. This year the membership includes: L. Whitney Watkins, 31, chairman of the state board of agriculture, President Butterfield, 31, Professor R. K. Steward, Professor I. C. Plant, E. B. Hill, 15, O. L. Snow, Jr., Mrs. J. W. Stack, 11, G. C. Dillman, 13, Arthur M. MacKinnon, 35, R. Bruce McPherson, 30, John W. Kelly, 28, Odgen E. Grimes, 28, Charles Ambrose, 29, Dorothy Showsmith, 28, D. Crittenden, 30, Dell Brinkman, 29, Robert J. McCarthy, 14, is the permanent secretary of the Union and also the general manager of its affairs. Most members of the board of directors are elected yearly. There are chosen from the senior class, one from the junior class and one from the sophomore class. Those who are not students are elected by the organizations they represent but are not changed so often as is the student membership.

Since the Union is organized to establish and operate a community center for the college it offers a great many services to its members which are given without charge and as well serves as a place for entertaining visitors to the college. In return for the latter service the college granted a lease on the site upon which the Union Memorial building stands and furnished the light, heat and water without charge. This together with the fact that a large number of people are attracted to the Union every year aids in keeping down the cost of student membership which is now the lowest of any in the United States offering similar facilities.

In the use of the building and the departments included in its commercial organization there are certain rules which have been laid down by student committees and which result in satisfactory conduct in the building and a certain amount of care in the use of its equipment, thus saving the Union a considerable expense in replacement and the cost of guarding its property. These rules are available at the desk and will be explained in case they are not clear. Jim McCosh, a member of the football squad is chairman of the house committee in charge of enforcing the rules.

Under the business organization the general manager is responsible for

the orderly conduct of the financial affairs of the Union. He is under a heavy bond, the books are audited by a certified public accountant four times annually and this report is always on file in the offices of the Union on the third floor of the building. All employees of the Union handling its funds or responsible for their proper handling are under bond to the Union. The Union has what is recognized to be one of the best accounting systems in existence for an organization of its size and its overhead is unbelievably low in comparison with the amount of business transacted. During the past year or so the work of the Union has been extended to include the handling of second hand text books and a complete line of general student supplies. In addition the Union maintains a public library in order that a rental is charged on books in order that the library may be built up to add to the facilities offered and is doing other things which have not as yet been developed to the phase when a thorough explanation can be given.

Most campus organizations use the Union campus or more each term for meetings because rooms are provided for them and they are allowed to reserve them in advance. Last year as many as nine different organizations were meeting in the building at one time. That is one of the services offered by the Union to the groups on the campus while its service to the individual is only limited by the desire of that individual to use the facilities it offers.

These are some of the ways through which the Union is endeavoring to live up to its purpose and they will be added to as fast as funds are available and needs arise. There is no limit to the uses to which the individual and the entire college except that limit imposed when suggestions are not forthcoming from the individuals who realize the needs.

The Union Memorial Building is financed through the efforts of the alumni of the College. It is largely financed through the sale of life memberships some 700 of which have been paid up by alumni at the rate of \$100 each and there are several thousand being paid regularly. Students are offered a chance to purchase life memberships by paying part of the amount needed, \$7.50 per year are not quite so difficult to meet as the larger amount assessed against the graduates. The matter of life membership is one which amounts to endorsing the building for further service after you leave college. It also means that you are among the select class assured the privileges of the building for a lifetime without the payment of further dues. When this fund grows to its proper proportions several years hence the Union will be partially supported from this source and it is possible the student fee may be lowered.

There is a heavy debt for construction costs now hanging over the building. It was necessary to borrow money to complete the building for use and this money is carried at heavy interest in order that the building may be available. This cost of the debt is handled through the alumni and student fund and does not come from the operation of the building. During its first year the Union showed promise of being self supporting, in its second year it added to this conviction and this year is certain to show a definite credit balance, if it is supported in the manner it should be.

Three things the student should remember are: The Union is his organization, it is operated for the benefit of the entire student body and not for that of a small group. The Union will prosper, be able to render greater service and lower costs in its membership when all students use it as much as they can. Life membership in the Union means that its work can go on and that the work of serving the College community is assured through future years.

Any service you believe the Union should render which it does not now offer should be reported at the desk in writing or direct to the general manager. Any criticism you may have should be reported in the same manner. Remember that anonymous communications must bear very little weight because of the belief that the writer is not willing to stand up for his convictions.

LIBRARY ADDS MANY VOLUMES

Best Sellers in Fiction and Non-Fiction Included Among New Books.

Many new books of both the reference type and fiction have been added to the shelves of the library during the summer months. Among the group, a number which have been received with wide interest and are rated among the best sellers, are "The Man Nobody Knows" by Barton; "Edison the Man and His Work"; "Disraeli" by Clark; Ludwig's "Napoleon" and "William Hohenzollern" and Edith Wharton's "Twilight Sleep".

New books are: Abboton, The Three Corners Hat; Austin, Love and Friendship and Other Early Works; Barton, The Man Nobody Knows; Bartlett, Familiar Quotations; Beer, The Maye Beanie; Bradford, Wives; Brooks, The Poetry of Robert Brown; Bryan, Edison, The Man and His Work; Carter, The Invention of Printing in China and Its Western Spread; Clark, Disraeli, Close, The Revolt of Asha; Depping, Deansday; Douglas, The Little Town; Knuff, Mierobe Hunters; Lawrence, Revolt in the Desert; Leonard, Two Lives in a Poem; Longyear, Trees and Shrubs of the Rocky Mountain Region; Ludwig, Napoleon; Ludwig, William Hohenzollern; MacDonald, George MacDonal and His Wife; McMaster, History of U. S. During Civil War; Melitz, Opera Goes Complete Guide; Mollay, King's Henchman; Mumford, Sticks and Stones; Palm, Joan of Arc; Peary, New Encyclopedia of Music and Music; Peary, Schindler, Typical Elizabethan Plays; Schindler, None But the Brave; Simmonds, How Europe Made Peace With America; Soc. of Arts & Science, Ordinary Memorial Award of Short Stories; VanDyke, Catherine de Medicis; Wharton, Twilight Sleep; Wilson, Carlyle at His Zenith.

STUDENT COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

September 20, 1927
Meeting held to order by President Olin.

Roll call. Present, Olin, Carls, McInnis, Cummings, Hannah, Kelly, Abbott, Pierce, Anderson, Green, McCosh. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Discussion on Spartan Welcome.
Moved and seconded that the student council give its approval and cooperation to the ceremony of "Spartan Welcome" which is to take place the morning of Sept. 23, 1927. Carried.

Moved and seconded that all college mixes be held the evening of Sept. 22.
Moved and seconded that the student council authorize the Union to enclose space on the fourth floor of the Union building for a student council room and that money be appropriated for the entailed expense and also for the needed furnishings. Carried.

Nominations for the election of a junior to fill the position of Theodore Cartine were opened. The names of

Clare Passink and Max Goodwin were placed in nomination. Goodwin was elected to the position.

Moved and seconded that upon the recommendation of the board of publications the student council appoint John Kelly to the office of editor of the Michigan State News. Carried.
Moved and seconded that meeting adjourn. Carried.

FLOWER EXHIBIT GREAT SUCCESS

Many Beautiful Flowers Charm Large Crowd of Visitors.

Visitors were well pleased with the Dublin exhibition put on by the Michigan Dahlia society Friday and Saturday, Sept. 16-17, in the Horticulture building. Fifteen hundred exhibits were shown by four professional and eight amateur exhibitors. Standard varieties were well represented and the floral display was beautiful and interesting.

Perhaps most notable of the standard varieties were the Jersey Beauties. Those exhibited by Clifford White were given first prize as best twelve pink. Four of Baumann's Dahlia Gardens exhibits took first honors; Sagmore, as best yellow; Tommy Atkins, best red; Trenton, best autumn colored; and a mixed vase of Sunny South, Elsie Daniels and White Sister as best in the hybrid category class.

The Eliza Clark Ball entry was judged best in the class of twelve white. First place in the decorative dahlia group was given to a mixed vase of Jersey Beauties and Mrs. Carl Salatch, exhibited by Mrs. Smith of Royal Oak, Mich. For the seventy flower show considered the best. In the open seedling class, Mr. Groff's exhibit, No. 44, of beautiful red decorative was given first place. This variety is an improvement on Tommy Atkins.

The prize for the best bloom of California origin went to a specimen of the variety "Queen of the Garden Beautiful." This variety was originated in the Garden Beautiful of San Quentin prison in California. It was the most bloom in the show and was grown from a plant purchased here in Michigan on May 14.

The American Dahlia Society's silver medal was won by Baumann's Dahlia Gardens, Birmingham, Mich., and the bronze medal by Jacob & Groff of Fenton, Mich. The Baumann cup for the best display in the amateur class was won by K. S. R. Holt of Howell, Mich.

A school business meeting was held Saturday at which it was voted that a bulletin should be issued by the Dahlia Society of Michigan. Election of officers followed. C. S. Farnce of Bay-Abok Gardens, Fowlerville was elected president, V. W. Elliott, first vice president, Jacob Baumann of Birmingham, second vice president, and Miss Sarah Cooper of Howell, secretary and treasurer. It was voted to hold next year's show here at the college, the date to be set later.



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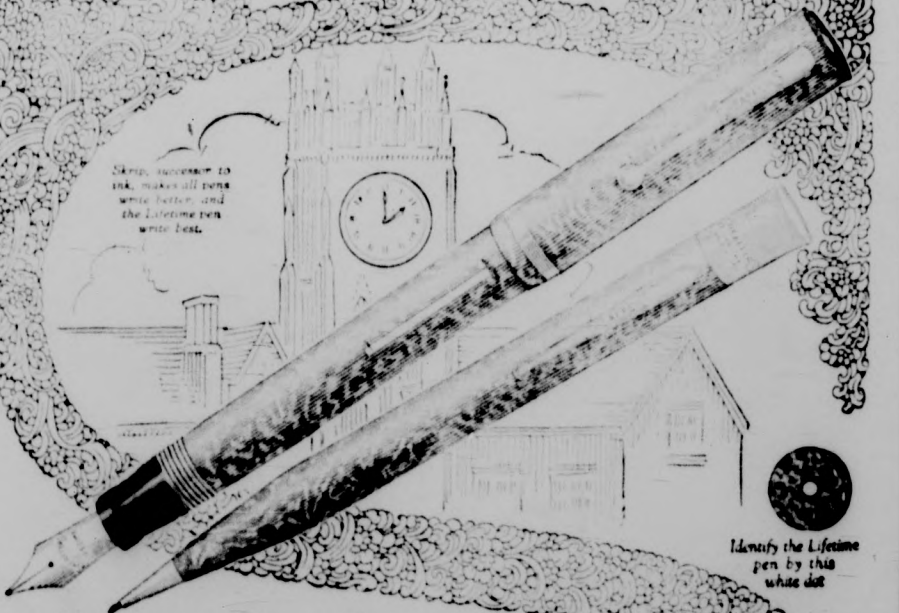
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SOCIETIES

Mixer and Union Party Are Social Events of Week

Dancing to the music of the Varsity Sextette, a crowd filled the gymnasium to overflowing during the annual all-college mixer held last night under the auspices of the student council.

The male portion of the dancers proved rather small due to the interest shown in the Tunney-Dempsey fight which kept the fight fans in close proximity to their radios during the best part of the evening. Many couples were obliged to spend the evening with only a few dancing partners, checking out the evening with dances among themselves.

Under a rigorous polishing and cleaning, the gymnasium floor, usually so unpopular among the dancers of the college, was in good shape, and the dancers did justice to the music. This was introduction night for the new orchestra, and it received a warm welcome.

With the mixer a thing of the past, the social element of the college is looking forward to Friday night's Union party, with the atmosphere of fall and the enthusiastic contemplation of tomorrow's game.

Decorations of the ballroom for this

CHURCH CLASSES PLAN BUSY YEAR

Groups Start Year With High Attendance Mark.

Student classes in the Peoples church seem to be set for an unusually interesting and progressive year of activity. All three groups started out in fine shape Freshman Sunday, and according to the future programs planned, they will continue with good attendance the rest of the year.

"Student Citizenship League" is the men students' class, meeting every Sunday from 12 to 12:45 in the student parlors of the church, and is devoted to real thinking on real problems. At present Elmer Kirk is president and "Buck" Weaver leads the group. Last Sunday the meeting was held in the main auditorium to accommodate the great number of Freshmen, a real live discussion ensuing on "The Measure of a Man".

CROSS COUNTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday, Oct. 15 - Nordic Run.
Saturday, Oct. 22 - All College Run.
Saturday, Oct. 29 - Marquette University at Milwaukee.
Saturday, Nov. 5 - University of Michigan at Ann Arbor.
Friday, Nov. 11 - Notre Dame University at East Lansing.
Friday, Nov. 11 - Twelfth Annual State Intercollegiate Cross Country Meet at East Lansing.
Saturday, Nov. 19 - Second Annual Central Intercollegiate Cross Country Meet.
Saturday, Nov. 26 - Annual Detroit Y. M. C. A. Run at Detroit.

FRESHMAN FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Saturday, Oct. 29 - Ferris Institute at East Lansing.
Saturday, Nov. 5 - Assumption College at Sandwich, Ontario.
Saturday, Nov. 19 - Fourth Annual "Blue" vs. "Green" game.

FALL TRACK SCHEDULE

Saturday, Nov. 5 - Third Annual Fall Handicap Track and Field Meet.

VARISITY SPORT CAPTAINS

Football - Paul M. Smith
Basketball - Kenneth Drew
Baseball - Albert Tolles
Track - Henry Wylie
Cross Country - Henry Wylie
Wrestling - Edward Landburg
Swimming - Alvin Elinger
Hockey - Ruben Hancock
Tennis - Mervyn Earleman
Fencing - Max Goodwin

VARISITY COACHES

Football - Ralph H. Young, Barney Traynor, Miles Castold
Basketball - Benjamin F. Van Alstyne
Baseball - John H. Kobs
Track - Ralph H. Young, Miles Castold, Morton Mason
Cross Country - Morton Mason
Wrestling - Ralph H. Leonard
Swimming - W. Steers Brown
Hockey - John H. Kobs
Tennis - C. D. Ball
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Get Behind the Team this Fall by not missing a Practice Session

YEARLING SQUAD BIGGEST IN YEARS

NEARLY 150 FRESHMEN OUT FOR FOOTBALL

Nearly 150 candidates reported for freshman football practice and all the available uniforms were issued. There are still some twenty or more men who have been unable to get a uniform but who are anxious to try out for the team. Coaches Kobs and Van Alstyne have been literally swamped with material and they are finding it a difficult task to prune the squad down to a workable unit. It is expected that the squad will be cut down to about 60 men before long, so that the coaches will be able to specialize a bit before the first frosh game.

thus far. A few of the men who stand out are: Linder and Schaubel, of Grand Rapids, both lanky ends; Benmont and Daniels, tackles; Fricker and Dill, guards; Smead, of Sturgis, giant center who won his numerals at Western State last year; Grove, of Sturgis, Nordberg of St. Joe, Hammond of Chicago, Arnot, Bayerle of Sturgis, and Watkins of Manchester look the best of the backs.

The frosh have a tough three game schedule and it will take some hard work to get the squad into shape for these tussles. It is expected that a big cut will be made soon and that a first squad will be segregated to work on plays and formations in preparation for their games.

WOLVERINE STAFF MEETING

Freshmen and upperclassmen wish to attend meeting Thursday, September 29, at 7:15 in the Wolverine office on fourth floor of Union building.

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Personal

Bill Drake is in East Lansing awaiting appointment in the U. S. army.

Mr. and Mrs. John Broer of Lansing called at the Therman house Tuesday night.

Frederick Mann of Trenton, N. J., and Larry Watkins of Grand Rapids were also guests at the house last week end.

Keyes Greenmeyer of Lansing who is home from Annapolis Naval Academy, on a month's leave has visited several times at the Therman house.

Smokers were held at the Eumonia and Alpha Gamma Alpha fraternities houses Thursday night when the Tunney-Dempsey fight was enjoyed by radio.

The Deltaic fraternity is entertaining with an open house Saturday evening at which the music will be furnished by the Spartan Frolics. The same evening Maurice Davies orchestra will play at the first Eumonia open-house of the term.

Ivan Siga and William Hart who are attending the Rush Medical School in Chicago were visitors at the S. A. E. House last week-end. Robert Palmer, Detroit; Henry Waterman, Fenwick; James Zeller, Pontiac; and Kenneth Bart, Grand Rapids were also guests at the house.

The present list of S. A. E. pledges include the following men: J. Bohlen, G. Gray, and Harold Zoerner, all of Grand Rapids; J. Krueger, D. Biddle, and C. Callahan, of Detroit; V. A. Arpsel, Marine City; P. Kame, Owosso; A. Olson, and A. Hammond, both of Chicago; J. Van Zyl, Grand Haven; Charles Ladd, Muskegon; H. sparring, Bad Axe and D. Booth, Pontiac.

Miss Dorothy Harper of Scottsville, Penn., who graduated from the Univer-

MANY MEN OUT FOR FRESH SQUAD

133 Yearlings Get Suits. With a Number on Waiting List.

A record turnout of freshmen football candidates greeted Coaches Kobs and Van Alstyne last week at the first practice. One hundred and thirty-three yearlings were issued equipment and about 15 candidates are still waiting for suits.

The frosh squad appears to be the largest that has ever represented State. The average will be in the neighborhood of 130 pounds and this augurs well for another season's prospects. A galaxy of high school stars from all over Michigan and several other states is included in this bunch and the coaches face a difficult task to pick a team.

The freshmen have a three game schedule this season and their coaches face a double task of putting a team in the belt for outside competition and also for varsity scrimmage purposes. The two frosh eleven, that scrimmaged the varsity last Saturday afternoon showed up well and looked like real teams, even though they had but a few days' practice.

NOTICE

All frosh and upperclassmen are asked to sign up for the new state cheerleading section at the Union desk. Fraternity houses desiring to sit in a block section are asked to have one man sign for the house, stating the number of men. All men be out for the section on Saturday for the Kalamazoo game. Later the permanent seats will be assigned and the books will be distributed.

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All entries must be in by 6:00 p. m. Monday, September 26th.

Entries can be made at the gym and there is no fee.

HORSESHOE PITCHING

This tournament will be run on the straight elimination plan.

Trophies will be given the winners and the runners-up.

There will be competition in both singles and doubles events.

Horseshoes will be furnished by the athletic department for all matches and for practice.

All entries must be in by 6:00 p. m. September 30th.

TENNIS

(Singles and Doubles)

This tournament will be run on the straight elimination plan.

Trophies will be given the winners and runners-up.

Contestants must furnish their own tennis equipment.

Former tennis letter men and non-credit winners are barred from competition.

All entries must be in by 6:00 p. m. September 30th.

Entries can be made in person at the gym or can be mailed to the intramural department.

When making your entry give your full name, address and telephone number.

Rules and regulations governing the above tournaments will be published later.

Bowling league will soon be formed.

The annual novice cross country run will be held next month. Details later.

TWO STATE MEN SHOOT IN CAMP PERRY MATCH

Dernberger and Schultz Place in National Finals.

Michigan State received another call into the limelight this summer when two of her representatives shot their way to a place on the rifle team of the Sixth Corps Area.

Those men, Walter H. Dernberger and Maynard T. Schultz, attended Camp Sheridan in Illinois as members of the local R. O. T. C. cavalry unit. There they shot above the average score, which is 255 out of 300 and won a place on the team and a trip to the National Rifle Matches at Perry, Ohio. Schultz was elected captain of the team which won forty first place out of over one hundred teams entered.

Two years ago when the last matches were held, the Sixth Corps Area team placed eighty first. The team score was 2611 out of 3000. Dernberger shot 290 out of 300.

Dernberger received three medals out of the matches. He is a member of the Phi Kappa Phi fraternity. Schultz is a member of the Union Lit. Society.

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Undoubtedly several scout bands will be present and these will add volume to the occasion. It is probable that the scouts will parade between halves of the football game. During the game the scouts will be seated in a special section reserved for them in the west stands. While on the campus, the scouts are the guests of the athletic department.

SENIOR CLASS TO MEET FOR TREASURER ELECTION

The Senior class will meet for the first time this year on Monday afternoon, according to Art Curtis, senior president. Much important business will be taken up and there will be a discussion of ideas for senior parties. Something new in the way of parties will be promulgated by the seniors this season and plans will be made for these affairs.

A new treasurer must be elected and nominations will be made at this meeting. Paul Larkey, who was elected to this office last spring, died during the summer following an attack of typhoid fever. It is not known just who will be the candidates for the treasurer's office but they will be announced soon.

IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR FENCERS

Cords interested in fencing will meet Monday, Sept. 26th in the gym lecture room at 5 p. m. sharp.

All varsity fencers will report to Joseph Waffa, Monday at 4 p. m. in the gym for first practice.

All freshmen interested for the fresh fencing will please meet in the gym lecture room at 5:30 p. m. on Monday, Sept. 26.

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FALL TERM SEES MANY CHANGES

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New English Instructors

Following are the new professors in the English and Foreign Language division under Prof. W. W. Johnston: Harry P. Barnett and William B. Anderson, replacing S. W. Rockwood and Miss Margaret Miles, instructors in French; George Steinmetz, German instructor; Miss Eleanor Osterstrom, who will teach Spanish in place of O. W. Wilson; Joseph D. Mendelsohn, professor of public speaking, succeeded by W. H. Weiss and E. P. Lawrence, who takes the place of Barrett Lyons as English instructor, who is working on his master's degree at North Carolina University.

Addition of a new instructor in free-hand drawing was announced by the drawing and design department. He is Howard Joyce, graduate of the Kansas City Art Institute and the University of Missouri. Putnam Robins, Iron Mountain, graduate of State with the class of 1927, will replace Wilson Martin as research assistant in forestry and director of the forest preserve at Dumbar, in the upper peninsula. Joseph Ideman, who secured his master's degree in June, is the instructor who has joined the staff of the chemistry department.

FOOTBALL STARTS TOMORROW

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Michigan State's first annual golf tournament will soon be held. Entries must be in by Monday evening at five o'clock. Any student who is registered at this institution is eligible to compete and there will be no special rules and regulations. A qualifying round will be played, date to be announced later, and pairing will then be made for the different flights. It is hoped by the intramural department that enough entries will come in so that there can be about ten flights.

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and Crabill are centers who should get in the game. Deacon and Morse, at quarter, and Lang, Kunow, Donaldson, and Schultz at halves, should play.

The State coaches hope that their proteges will come through tomorrow and show the same fire and dash that has been shown in practice sessions. The men are working harder than ever before and ought to give a good account of themselves tomorrow. Only a few simple plays have been given out but these are sufficient if they are executed properly. Michigan coaches will be in the stands tomorrow and Coach Young does not intend to give them anything to write home about.

The new cheering section ought to add about one hundred per cent to the efficiency of the cheering and should lend color to the occasion. The green and white hood to be worn by the occupants are something entirely novel and should prove an inspiration. Several arrangements and movements of the block "S" are being planned and if proper cooperation is given to the cheerleaders, these ideas can be carried out. The cheering this season will be in charge of J. Parks Pinson, '26, who will be ably assisted by Les Fenske, '26 and Jim Corcoran, '31. Occupants of the cheering sections are asked to sit in seats assigned to them and thus facilitate arrangements.

R. Thompson of Lawrence will handle the opening game in the capacity of referee. "Tommy" is well known to State students and is one of the most capable officials in the west. Genbach of Michigan will umpire and McCulloch of Springfield will be the head linesman. The game will start at two thirty o'clock.

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