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ON THURSDAY

RELATION OF CHARGE
TO STUDENT BODY IN
TODAY'S EDITORIAL.

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The Blarney Stone

ZEALOUSNESS

Articles purporting to interpret thought and opinion are appearing in state papers. Last night's paper carried as one of its feature articles a series of impressions of students on the admission situation. The impression was given as a result of an investigation conducted by the students mentioned in the article. The representative of that paper, it was written, was with the policy of the paper, and the students mentioned in the article were not present for some time. Although accuracy and truthfulness are usually the aim of such articles, it is a pity to find that in this case the investigation showed that the students mentioned in the article were not present for some time. The representative of that paper, it was written, was with the policy of the paper, and the students mentioned in the article were not present for some time. Although accuracy and truthfulness are usually the aim of such articles, it is a pity to find that in this case the investigation showed that the students mentioned in the article were not present for some time.

ANONYMOUS

Anonymous letters can be considered a nuisance. Such an epistle appeared in the columns of a paper yesterday, which is vigorously opposed to the student body's action. It was signed "Anonymous." Appreciation of the general situation was expressed. A student, who stated that he was a member of the student body, explained his attitude. He was greatly interested in the events and so had been acquainted with the situation. How improbable it is that any one is likely to know more than a few persons outside of those who actually know the real situation. The anonymous letter expressed in anonymous and practically worthless.

DIGGING

Excavation of the campus is well advanced. Now that the lawns are being smoothed, what is more important, the spring time than the summer, which was accomplished by the students. But it is in a good way. A drainage system will be installed. Construction is now being completed.

AN IMPROVEMENT

With our policy of improvement as much as possible, the student body this week initiates a campaign of circulation for those who are living in private rooms in East Lansing. Formerly, delivery via the mail was the only way of getting these papers. Under the new method, if any of these subscribers will be delivered within a short time of the press.

CRITICISM

One of the first of an article in the Michigan State is being written. There are some cogent criticisms for the undergraduates remembered however when a discussion of courses that are directed at courses in 1912. Since then there have been changes.

WHO AND WHY?

Wanting to watch a certain number work itself into pink pennies over the situation at college. We never noticed it so deeply interested before. The majority took the opposite side of the question.

CONVENIENT CAMPUS CALENDAR

Tuesday, April 24—Parade, drill field.
Wednesday, April 25—Baseball game, college vs. M. S. C. vs. Syracuse.
Friday, April 27—Tennis, M. S. C. vs. the City of Detroit College.
Saturday, April 28—Union party.

DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC MOVES TO NEW QUARTERS

Remodeling and Redecorating of Old Weather Bureau Complete.

BUILDING ROOMY

The remodeling and redecorating of the old weather bureau has been completed and the music department has moved into its new quarters this past week. The old building at the entrance to the campus has been made over and painted on the interior to make it as attractive and light as possible. The west door for the public will give entrance to a waiting room and office. The entrance on the north will be used by the teachers and will allow them to enter the building without coming in contact with the public. The eastern half of the first floor will house the offices of Lewis Richards, head of the music department, two studios, and a room for the files and equipment.

On the second floor a long light studio stretching along the west side of the building will be used by Louis Graveny, new head of the music department. Studios on the other side of this floor will be for the use of Michael Press, violinist, and Philip Albion, cellist.

On the third floor is a class room with the usual fascinating odd shaped nooks and light coming in from all sides and flooding down from the old square cupola.

From the large basement classroom where Arthur Farwell will conduct his theory classes is roomy. This room will comfortably seat 60 people. And because of the thickness of the walls and the construction of the building, no one will be bothered by the sounds coming from an adjacent studio in the southern corner of the basement which will be the home of Leonard Fabiano, teacher of brass instruments. Next to his studio is a small office.

FROSH THINCLADS BEAT SOPH SQUAD

Yearlings Victorious in Meet; Win by 78 2-3 to 52 1-3 Score; Records Clipped.

The Frosh track squad defeated the Sophs in the annual Fresh-Soph meet by a score of 78 2-3 to 52 1-3. The Frosh took eight events, eight seconds and one-third, and the Sophs took three events, one and one-third, and one and one-third. In the later part of the freshmen broke the old record in a second, running in 1:27.1.

Turning the half mile, the 2:08.4 Frosh took the lead, and the Sophs were shattered by the mile record. In negotiating it in 4:04. He cut 8.3 seconds from the previous record. Hayden, another sophomore, added a new 2-mile record in 12:55.2, cutting out of hitting the mark 1:55 feet. The high point man of the meet was Raymond, a sophomore. He garnered 15 points by winning first in 20 yard dash, second in the 100 and 40 yard dashes, and taking the 50 yard dash. The meet was held at the new stadium on Wednesday and Friday.

TENNIS SQUAD'S FIRST MEET FRIDAY, APRIL 27

The Michigan State tennis squad will hold their first meet of the season this Friday. The meet will be held at the new stadium at 3 o'clock on Friday. The meet will be held at the new stadium at 3 o'clock on Friday.

With only one week back from last year's meet, Captain Parlieman, coach of the tennis squad, has been working hard with new recruits. All the empty berths on the team. However, there are several promising ones from last year's Frosh and varsity squads. The men coach is working hard with the men to develop a winning combination for the best prospects for the season. Among the best prospects are George Jewett, Paul Kane, George Jewett, and Don Swan of last year's team, and Walter Abbott and Fred Denton from last year's varsity. Don Bennett from last year's varsity. The tennis team is also considered a likely candidate for the state championship.

PLANS UNDER WAY FOR FESTIVAL OF CARNIA

Plans are being discussed for the holding of the Festival of Carnia, an all-college sing held each spring term. The Festival of Carnia is sponsored by the Blue Key working in conjunction with Lewis Richards and Arthur Farwell of the music department. According to Ted Dobbins, president of the Blue Key, the festival for this year is not definitely assured because of some question regarding the financing of the project. It is the hope of the organization that plans may be completed and the traditional Festival of Carnia can be held.

NEWS DELIVERY SYSTEM CHANGED

Subscribers in Private Homes to Receive State News by Carriers.

New system of circulation of the State News, involving delivery by carriers of the papers going to subscribers in private homes in East Lansing, is being initiated this week under the direction of Warren Shook, business manager.

The new method will replace that of mail delivery formerly followed. It is hoped to avoid the delay of one or two days experienced when the publication was sent by mail.

Some students have been engaged to deliver the single copies, which total about a thousand. The papers will be placed at the doors of the homes where the subscribers are residing within a short time after their copy of the paper. The city has been divided into single houses similar to those used by the postoffice.

Papers going to society houses and fraternities will continue to come by mail since there has been little delay experienced when the subscribers receive the paper directly from the postoffice. These copies are usually the first printed and are immediately addressed and delivered.

FORESTRY DEPT. READY FOR SUMMER WORK

Final Arrangements Made by Department; to Observe National Forest Week.

Final arrangements are being made by the Michigan State forestry department in preparation for the summer work at the lumber school according to A. K. Robinson, P. W. Roberts, and A. K. Robinson. May 1 to 15, 1928, is the time when the forestry department will be in session. The forestry department will be in session from May 1 to 15, 1928. The forestry department will be in session from May 1 to 15, 1928.

Graduate Student Asked to Present Thesis to National Assn.

E. M. Sathough, graduate student who has been working on an experiment through which he is trying to determine a means to measure the power loss in steel transmission line towers, has been asked to present an abstract of his thesis to the National Electric Light Association of Chicago.

Pioneer Days Are Gone But College is Still Pioneering

"How many of you are accustomed to driving horses?" A sign came from the students. Their president was humorously and thus started the pioneer days of Michigan State College. It's a funny pioneer that many a man who drove a covered wagon into the west, this institution of ours. At the time when this first convocation was called, there was not an acre of cleared ground on the campus. Those boys who responded to the president's call found good use of their ability. They took horses and went out to clear stumps and plough ground. They opened up roads, too, and burned green timber. They knew all the work and trials of the pioneer working for his family and livelihood. In 1858 a hundred acres of heretofore untilled land were cultivated, and the stirring of this land with all its desecrating vegetation, freed a great amount of nitrogen. For weeks seventy per cent of the students were unable to attend classes. They took consolation, we are told, that it was only the ague and that no one ever died from it. (Continued on page 2)

Graduate of 1912 Criticizes Advantages of Curriculum

Discussion and criticism of the education which he received at Michigan State college has been received by the horticultural department from Edwin Smith of the class of 1912, who is now in the employ of the United States Bureau of agricultural economics, and whose headquarters are with the American embassy in London. The paper was received from Smith in connection with a questionnaire sent out by L. H. Kelly, a graduate student who is making a critical study of the curriculum of the horticultural department for his master's degree. Of Edwin Smith, Prof. V. R. Gardner, head of the horticultural department, says: "He is one of the graduates of this institution who has achieved unusual success in his field and his comments regarding college courses should be of rather general interest."

ALPHA ZETA HOLDS SPRING SWINGOUT

Honorary Agricultural Society Initiates Six Men Today.

The Alpha Zeta spring term initiation came to a close this morning when the six initiates swung out across the campus. The honorary agricultural fraternity chooses men from the high school and college ranks who have been active in campus affairs. The six men were Neil Strickland, George Knudsen, Don Shepard, Arthur Landberg, H. E. Mesgrave, and George Farley. In addition to these six undergraduates, J. O. Veitch, research associate in soils, was initiated as an honorary member.

FURTHER ACTION TAKEN BY BOARD

Renew Revolving Fund for Horse Show; Provision for School Band Contest.

Further action of the board of agricultural affairs taken in its meeting Wednesday resulted in the renewal of the revolving fund for the financing of operations for the H. O. T. horse show held annually on the Spartan campus.

A revolving fund of \$1,000 is offered by the college this year. This fund was created two years ago but was temporarily discontinued last year. The state board also set aside a sum for the high school band contest to be held at the college May 12. A joint concert of the college band and University of Michigan band is planned in connection with this occasion.

COLLEGE LACKS FIRE PROTECTION

City Departments Are Not Required to Answer College Fire Calls.

The cities of Lansing and East Lansing cannot be held responsible for failure to respond to a fire call from the college. This statement was held true by Miller M. Brucker, attorney general, in the opinion given to H. H. Hilladay, secretary to the board of agriculture.

Senior Students Test Out Motor Generator Sets

Extended tests on the motor generator set presented by the General Electric company last fall are being made in the electrical engineering department by M. C. Hoffman and G. N. Yerkes, seniors in the department.

MODEL ASSEMBLY PLANS ARE NEAR COMPLETION

Assign Topics to Various Colleges Which Will Take Part in Experiment.

WILL ELECT PRESIDENT

The final plans for the model assembly of the League of Nations, to be held in the state house of representatives on May 12, are rapidly approaching completion. At a meeting held Tuesday night the various chairmen made reports and the assignments of topics for the various colleges to discuss were made. Michigan State representatives are to represent Germany and Czechoslovakia for speaking parts. Michigan State will also report on disarmament in the afternoon session. George W. Wickertsham will act as chairman of the council in the morning session, until a permanent president is elected. Mr. Wickertsham is a man of international reputation. He is chairman of the Law Institute working on the codification of law in the United States, and president of the League of Nations non-partisan association.

In the morning session, a country will challenge the right of China in the League of Nations and the right will be upheld by the Chinese representative. There will also be a discussion on mandates by Albion college and Germany will ask to be given a mandate. Following this, Brazil will resign her seat in the league, and a committee will report on the traffic in opium. Delegates from various colleges will state the policies of Persia, India and China on the question. England will then defend her attitude and a free debate on the question will be held.

A luncheon is planned for the delegates during the noon recess and the afternoon session will open at 2. Get into it will announce her adherence to the optional clause of the world court and reply by some delegate representing by Strassmann. This speech will be made by a Michigan State student. The rest of the afternoon session will be devoted to questions of disarmament. There will be three discussions dealing with arbitration, security, and reduction of armaments.

WRESTLING COACH CUT FROM COLLEGE PAYROLL

Coach Ralph Leonard, varsity wrestling coach and the main factor in State wrestling championships for the past two years has been cut from the payroll of the college, according to the athletic budget for the coming year. During his two years at State, Leonard has placed the Spartan team on an equal plane with the best teams in the mid-west through the middle west.

ALUMNI GROUP SUPPORTS SHAW

Kipke and Stewart Speak at Annual Meeting of Milwaukee Alumni.

Resolutions supporting Dean R. S. Shaw, acting president of the college, have been adopted by the State alumni group located at Milwaukee, Wis. The resolution was passed by the group at their annual meeting and copies of their resolution sent to the college have been received by the record, alumni paper, Miss Ethel Yackely, and Acting President Shaw.

Engineers Receive Gift from Michigan Bell Phone Co.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Holstein of the Grand Rapids office of the Michigan Bell Telephone Company, a switchboard of the PBX type has been presented to the electrical engineering department for use in their work.

At the Union

If your Union pin has strayed away and you want one for the summer you should get it immediately, there are but few left and none will be ordered before fall. The leading library circulate nearby a hundred books each week. You will find that among the older books there are attractive titles which have missed your attention in the past. Lunch service at the soda fountain has some brand new features. You are missing something if you fail to try it. A pipe to fit your face or a fountain pen to write in your hand, you will need both of them on the job this summer. Look 'em over at the main desk.

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WHY WORRY?

That Michigan State college has been torn from its roots by the recent turmoil of its governing board and the administration is absolutely fallacious, despite the great hullabaloo being raised to the skies and the voters by the newspapers.

No doubt the change will be felt in the upper executive strata of the college, but on the student body in general and its activities we can see little effect. Those on the outside of the campus, it is probable, visualize us as in the depths of despair or in the heights of joy, receiving our daily quota of education in a haphazard manner from instructors who have their baggage with them prepared to leave at any moment. This is indeed false.

There is little direct contact between the general student body and the president of the institution. Probably there are no more than 50 out of the 2,500 who have a speaking acquaintance with him. Outside work, speeches, and general politics occupy his time. He appears before the student body rarely, although his influence is felt indirectly.

The removal of Dean John Pheasant of course has been of more personal interest to those enrolled. He has been in a position where he has come into contact with the majority of the students. However, the work which has been handled by that office will continue under the direction of other members of the faculty to whom it will be delegated. There will be no let down in discipline, no lessening of the standards of scholarship.

Other departments coming under the action of the state board are practically of no interest. Indeed, until this last week, many students did not know of their existence.

Classes will continue in the same manner as usual. The same instructors and professors that had charge of the work last month and last term and the term before will still demand that outlines be in on time and that the textbooks be studied every day. Student activities will not stop. Spring term, the most delightful of

the year, will continue to be the most delightful, that is, providing the weather warms up. We will still have our cap night, water carnival, baseball games, Thursday Night Screamers, freshmen swimming in the Red Cedar.

The only fear which should rest upon us now is that of a big enrollment next year, and past records show that loss of a president and a few other officers is no deterrent. Registrants for this term exceeded that of all other spring terms by nearly 100 students.

Let the cademy hounds howl. We shall stuff cotton in our ears and go on our way still enjoying college life—insulting education, making friends, taking part in activities, amusing ourselves, and watching the presidential parade.

So few attain that nice balance midway between inferiority complex and swelled head.

PIONEER DAYS ARE GONE BUT COLLEGE IS STILL PIONEERING

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These early pioneers of our college lived in conditions approaching the widely sung log cabin of the actual pioneer. They worked all day building up an institution, a pioneer in its own field, the first State Agricultural College, and came home at night to the old dormitory called, by some facetious spirit, "Saint's Rest." Here they lived, four in a room, with almost no conveniences. I was not until 1902 at the "earnest request" of the instructor of physical culture, that the building of a farmhouse was authorized. Forty five years without a bath tub show us conditions smacking more of the pioneer era.

Well, they succeeded. But Michigan State is still pioneering, for instance, the first auto-mechanic class ever held for women in a college, met here last Saturday. We'll soon be turning out our lady mechanics, as well as our gentleman domestic science experts.

GRADUATE OF 1912 CRITICIZES ADVANTAGES OF CURRICULUM

(Continued from page 1)

In his properly digesting the professional work, as I did from 1908 to 1912 at M. S. C. With such a foundation a student might master his horticultural subjects, if he chooses to be

come a fruit grower, in a comparatively short time—part in college and part on a fruit farm. If he desires to become a professional horticulturist, in these days he will want his graduate work for a Doctor's degree, or its equivalent, so that the four years that are spent on what might be termed more or less pure academic subjects will be just like money deposited in a bank for him, as well as a joy and satisfaction all the days of his life.

From these remarks it is to be seen that I am critical of those who would map out a course of study in college which would simply be efficient in turning out graduates equipped to earn a living at some vocation which college graduates are supposed to follow. I am critical of those who would map out a course that would make it possible for the student to realize his ambitions after leaving college, simply for the reason that those who can afford to take the time for a college education should want something more than an apprenticeship and that while we are in college our ambitions are not what they will be ten years after. In criticizing the college course that I pursued I should prefer to do

so from a more comprehensive viewpoint than that of horticulture alone. In following the horticultural side of my work since leaving college I have been under a greater handicap through the inadequacy of my academic training at college than I have been through the shortcomings of the horticultural course which I followed.

Due to the length of Mr. Smith's criticism, it is impossible to print the complete paper in one issue. The remainder will appear in subsequent numbers of the News.

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BOTANY MEN WORK ON SERIOUS PLANT DISEASE

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This new disease is causing much concern among strawberry nursery men in the southwestern counties of Michigan. It is left to the college to undertake a serious investigation as to the exact nature of this disease and to devise an eradicating measure.

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Frosh Frolic Main Event of Week-end Replete with Affairs

With the Freshman Frolic holding the paramount place in the social doings of the campus spent a busy week-end attending open houses, initiations and the primary on Friday evening. The freshmen took advantage of the permission given them, and the large ballroom was crowded with students dancing to the peppy music of Pat Dollohan's orchestra of Flint.

The decorations, which were composed of streamers, carried out a color scheme of green and white. Special lighting effects were obtained in the use of streamers on each side of the stage, while the orchestra was surrounded with ferns. Late in the evening the party was enlivened by a feature dancing with serpentine and con-

tinued. The sample was the general chair- man's arrangements, with Franklin Smith in charge of the music. Joseph Robinson headed the committee on decorations, while Fern Streeter handled the feature dance. Charles Johnson was the general chairman of the party committees. The fraternities were among the first to entertain at open houses. Mrs. Rockefeller and Mrs. Mason acted as patrons while Mrs. and Mrs. Ben VanAlstyne were guests. Mrs. Draper's orchestra furnished the music for the dancing among the other fraternities to enter the Alpha Gamma Rho, Delta Phi, Phi Kappa Phi, Psi Chi and Psi Chi. Mr. and Mrs. Orling and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Coons and Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Hubbard were patrons at the party.

Among the other activities was the banquet given by the alumnae of Alpha Phi at Hotel Ohio on Friday evening. Wally Bennett's orchestra acted as the dancing. The new members of Alpha Gamma Delta sponsored a bridge on Saturday afternoon with the new pledges of Kappa Delta also honored by a bridge lunch.

Mr. H. C. Barnett was the main speaker at the Campus Girls' Association Sunday morning. He spoke on the various religions which have been introduced into China. The Phi Kappa Phi society had charge and the Sigma Kappa will sponsor the program.

With the country needs along with the present effort, is a five-cent

banquet will be held at a later date. The Alpha Gamma Rho initiates are: Gordon Evans, Battle Creek; Gus Poesch, Monroe; Robert Lincoln Greenfield, Robert Lanier, Waldron; E. H. Gregg, East Lansing; Carl Raft-shol, Sutton Lake. Prof. H. C. Coff- man spoke at the banquet on Sunday. The following will hold initiations for the following on Wednesday: Fox, Woodman, East Lansing; Robert Payne, Benton Harbor; Glenn Zennak, Iissen, Zeeland; Nell Stewart, Saginaw, and Fred Carlton, Grand Haven. The banquet will be held at that time.

ADOLPHE MENJOU IN NEW DIS- TINCT TYPE OF ROLE
Adolph Menjou, the world's most famous "other man," by virtue of his ability on the screen of stealing feminine hearts, plays the part of the French African chasseur in his latest Paramount starring vehicle, "A Night of Mystery," which comes to the screen of the State theater tonight and Wednesday.
Adapted from the stage play, "The Thin Red Line" by Seldon, this Menjou production is hailed as one of the most distinctive in which he has ever ap- peared.
He sports the love of a married woman for the sweet affection of a single girl; he appears in several scenes as a Sahara desert sheik, rid- ing a camel and wearing tropical headdress and burnous. He sees a man murdered, then voluntarily con- fesses to the deed in order to save the reputation of the married woman who loves him at the same time saving the life of the brother of his fiancée.

SPRING TERM SOCIETY INITIATIONS CONTINUE

Three More Frats and One Soror- ity Add to List of Campus Initiates.

Spring term initiations are still continuing in the fraternities and sororities on the campus. Sigma Kappa initiates include Beryl Stark, Ann Ar- bury, Lois Menden, Gaylord, Mildred Kayle, Aurora, Ill., and Mabel Horn- ing, Brooklyn. The banquet took place at the Hotel Ohio, and the program centered around the plant for the theme. Fern Kinton acted as toast mistress. Louise Ridgway from Col- umbia university chapter spoke on the roots. Rose Keefer on the plant. Mabel Morning on the bud, and Evelyn Keyes on the flower. Janette Trackel favored with a vocal selection. Four guests were present from the Univer- sity of Michigan chapter. Betty But- ler, from the Alpha chapter in Colby college in Maine brought greetings from the grand council.

Phylton initiated Homer G. Zibis, Marinette; John Vandum, Hudson- ville; Morris Greer, Pontiac; and John Knight, Jackson. In a formal initiation on Saturday. At the banquet at the house, Howard Hanson spoke, while Knight, Elton Hill and Dr. Hunter the response was given by John also favored with remarks. John Johnson of Hollywood, Mich. re- sponded for the initiation.

Lambda Chi Alpha announced the initiation of the following: Husted Parker, Okemos; Max J. Zimmerman, Flint; Paul E. Morrison, Detroit; Stewart W. Moore, Flint; T. J. Mal- one, Central Lake; T. S. Koppa, Wil- lard; R. Houser, Harold C. Curtis, all from Flint; Ivan C. Ebeling, Highland Park; Ernest J. Buckholz, Detroit; and Burton D. Reed, Okemos. Their

A CORRECTION
Last week's State News announced that the new honorary society to be sponsored by the Varsity club would be known as Lambda Chi Rho. This was a mistake; the name of the new society is Sigma Delta Psi.

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SYRACUSE NEXT

The weather is the main foe of the Michigan State baseball team this year according to present appearances. Twice so far this season the weather has caused games to be cancelled or postponed. The cancellation of the Chicago game on Saturday was the latest instance.

By noon Saturday the conditions were such that it was impossible to play baseball, so the athletic authorities of the college cancelled the game which was to have been played in the afternoon. Making it the fact that the Maroons were on a two-game trip, it will be impossible for their business of recreation to appear here this year. The Chicago game played at Western State Friday, winning 9-2.

State's next foe is expected to come here with a strong lineup. It will be the Syracuse university baseball team, which will cross bats with the Spartans on Thursday afternoon. It has not been two years since Coach Kobs' team it

has met up with the easterners and it is no more than likely that the Syracuse nine will be anxious to avenge their defeat of two years' standing. Michigan State won in 1926 by a score of 4-3. The game will begin at 4:10 p. m.

The Kobsmen have lacked the thing that they needed most this spring, that is, plenty of good practices and practice games. The team this year is made up of many new men who need experience before Coach Kobs can hope to develop a winning team. The cold and rainy weather has cut down the chances for Coach Kobs to work his men out in the manner he wishes and thus the team may suffer from it this week preceding the game. Coach Kobs expects to engage the State Fresh nine in several practice games which will give the varsity team more practice.

However, notwithstanding the lack of experience, the Spartans have played good baseball in the two initial games of the season, having won both with ease. In the game this week the State nine will meet up with their first opposition of the season. Coach Kobs will probably give the mound duty call to Capt. Lefty Tolles, a pitcher who was slated to pitch the Saturday game with Chicago, on Tuesday. By the big right hander who has formed well in both of the opening games. Both men are capable of pitching a good brand of ball.

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INTER-FRAT BASEBALL SEASON OFFICIALLY OPEN

The interfraternity baseball season officially opened Monday, April 23. In the first game the Phi Deltis beat the A. G. R. s by a score of 6 to 5.

On Tuesday the AcTheon team trimmed the Trimodras, 4 to 3. The Phi also won their first game from the Omicrons by one run, 5 to 4.

In the games scheduled for Wednesday, S. A. E. won from the Phi Kappa Tau 7 to 3 and the Phi lost to the Hermians 5 to 11. No games were played on Thursday on account of the varsity's game with Kalamazoo.

Today, the best they could do was fifth. This event was won by Ohio State's fast team, which negotiated it in 1:28.6 which is, incidentally, a new meet record. Kroell ran an exceptionally good race in this event.

With Lord running the 140 Hack met the 880 Captain White the three

quarter mile and Clark the mile. S. A. E. captured fifth in the medley relay. Hackney probably ran the best half mile of all those competing. West Virginia won this relay; Illinois was second, Indiana third and Ohio State fourth. The winning team's time was 11:04.2.

The best State could do in the mile relay was sixth. In doing this, they beat Minnesota and Ohio State. Indiana was first, Syracuse second, Michigan third, Illinois fourth and Michigan fifth. Salmon, the new member of State's sprint relay team, was able to run his 140 in the fastest time of the whole quartet.

Tillotson, took fourth place in the

discus. Twenty-seven were competing in this event. Rasmus of Ohio State won first place by throwing the platter 140 feet 6 7/8 inches. Paul Smith did not go with the team as was expected.

McAfee was unable to place in the pole vault. He seemed to be off form. Outerness of Minnesota broke first year's record by going 13 feet 1 inch. Pickert of Pittsburgh was second.

Today, Wednesday, and Thursday, the annual interclass meet will be held after classes. Saturday afternoon the Fresh squad will meet Lansing high school at the stadium, while the varsity boys will compete at the Penn relays.

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