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## Today's Campus

### Eggsactly

Books in running brooks, and eggs in non-flowing fountains? Some Shakespeare might well purchase after the discovery, yesterday, of a large white egg in the leaf-filled basin of the old fountain that stands on the walk from the library to the administration building. Some know what kind of an egg it is, but as it is fresh, Ohio suggests that members of the staff take time sitting on the hatchling tells the tale.

### Shipping

The local second guessers club is getting farther behind every week. The latest date for the Tuesday Noon Quarterback club meeting is 7:15 Wednesday night in Union ballroom. Pictures of the West Virginia game will be shown by Coach Charlie Bachman. All students are welcome.

### Don't Shoot

With the hunting season open today, Poll A. B. Bowman of the forestry department cautions students to be careful with their guns in the wooded areas over the weekend. Falling leaves and dry conditions in all directions make the fire particularly dangerous. Members are also cautioned by Police Harold I. Ham that hunting is allowed on campus only in certain areas.

### Getting Tougher!

Michigan State's football sky is growing darker. Next year the Spartans will replace Illinois Wesleyan with Purdue and Indiana to supplant Missouri on schedule. That will make State's schedule read Wayne Michigan, Purdue, Syracuse, Santa Clara, Marquette, Indiana and Temple. West Virginia won't repay this year's visit until 1940.

### Zer Gut? Ju Wohl!

Students, dressed, spied, delirious, howdy! Hunt in a few minutes will be the signal for the Kappa Kappa Gamma hand to hand, toe to toe, with "Ich Liebe Dich" as something of the like at the Homecoming rally. The band, consisting of two brasses, four trumpets, and a drum, will furnish the music from the home to them by the bandstand department.

### Pretty Ritz!

There won't be a swimming pool in the middle west that will surpass the one that is slated to go into the new athletic field house at Michigan State college. Experts who have looked over its proposed dimensions and equipment say that it will be the best available. It is to be 42 feet wide, providing six standard lanes for competition, and will have three diving boards.

### Signs of Times

Signs of winter: The basketball and swimming teams at Michigan State college are reporting for practice. And that with the football team not half way through its schedule and Coach Charley Bachman hardly down to serious worrying.

### Newman Club Lists Fall Activities

Opening with corporate communion on October 30, activities of the Newman club, college Catholic fellowship organization, will get under way for the new school year. The communion will be held at Resurrection church, and a breakfast in the Union ballroom will follow. Committees for the event include Marjorie Tank, Mike Fortino, Julia Byrnes and Roy McMahon. The club's annual fall frolic has been scheduled for November 4, and will be held at the W. A. Eaton.

## Frosh-Soph Day Date Changed

### Council Sets Nov. 2 As Date of Annual Interclass Brawl

Change of the date for the freshman-sophomore field day to Wednesday, November 2, was announced late yesterday by Chester Kennedy, sophomore class president. Use of Demonstration hall on October 26, the original date for the meet, necessitated the change, according to student council members.

The program for the day will include games in the afternoon, barbecue in the early evening, followed by a dance. Goals will have 11 p. m. permission for the evening. Admission to the party will be by student book.

Six committees, consisting of three sophomores and one freshman each, will be named at the sophomore class meeting slated for Tuesday, October 18, at 8 p. m. in Room 100, Merrill hall. Freshman members of committees will be appointed by Fred Perry and George Schieve, freshman leaders.

Ted Mackrell, president of last year's sophomore class, will be adviser to the frosh leaders. Planning and judging of activities are under the direction of the Varsity club. Mackrell announced recently. Highlighted program will be the traditional hatchet-burying act, after which freshman and sophomore class leaders will pledge peace.

William Hasselback, president of student council, repeated his plea that both classes refrain from warfare before November 2, and to concentrate their forces for then. The games on that day will be enough to cause injuries, he said.

## Crash Victims Convalescing In Hospital

George Giddings and Alfred Robinson, Michigan State students who were injured in a motorcycle accident near Demonstration hall, Thursday afternoon, are resting comfortably today, according to reports from the college hospital.

The accident occurred on the west side of the hall at 4 p. m. Thursday. Witnesses said that a large group of R. O. C. students just dismissed from drill opposite the hall, swarmed across the road from behind parked cars and into the path of the motorcycle. The driver of the machine, Rudolph Hartman, avoided running down two students before hitting Giddings, according to bystanders.

Giddings, who was knocked down, suffered a fractured leg, while Robinson, riding behind Hartman on the cycle, received scalp injuries when thrown to the ground. Both men were removed to the college hospital by Captain Doty of the military department. Giddings is a sophomore engineering student from Pontiac, and Robinson, who is from Lansing, is in the Science division. He is a freshman.

## Sororities End Rushing at Dinner Attendance Drops

Attendance at the annual formal preference dinner last night indicates a slight decrease in the number of sorority pledges this year, reports from Mr. E. W. Pinchey, chairman of the alumnae Panhellenic committee show.

Late last night, preference slips from 195 women had been received at the office. Slips from members of one sorority had not been received. These lists will be checked against sorority list books, and those checking will receive pledge invitations.

Rushing was formally concluded last night after the formal dinner given by the eleven sororities on the campus. Dinner dresses were wearing about in many countries on the globe, and occasions from mock weddings to annual rose dinners were celebrated.

At the Alpha Chi Omega house the season, autumn, was carried out in decoration of leaves and fall flowers. The Alpha Gamma Delta, carried out a nautical theme in which the S. S. Alpha Gamma was shown entering New York harbor after a series of rushing parties held in different countries the past two weeks. Place cards carried lifeavers with the ship's name and the candles were miniature sails of white paper.

The Chi Omegas also went sailing, with menus and place cards in the form of ship's helms. Pennants were used in decoration to carry out their theme.

Hunt's Food Shop was the scene of the Alpha Omicron Pi rose dinner. Place cards showed the pledge pin. The Sigma Kappas also used the pin idea on their cards. In their table appointments of white service and crystal glassware.

The Alpha Phi's were hostesses to thirty-five guests at a Mexican dinner with Mexican favors for each girl. The Kappa Alpha Fraternities were traditionally formal in their table appointments of white service and crystal glassware.

The Kappa Delta used white, blue, and it was very effective for this was their annual white rose dinner with everything in white with white roses centering the tables.

Zeta Tau's Entertainment. The preling idea was cleverly carried out at the Zeta Tau Alpha house dinner with a mock wedding after dinner between Mrs. Beebe and Zeta Tau Alpha.

Another rose dinner was held at the Alpha Xi Delta's with roses for centerpieces and a corsage of roses for each girl. After dinner Kay Gabriel spoke, the sorority sextette sang and a mock wedding of Alpha Xi to Delta was performed.

The Kappa Kappa Gamma carried out the sorority colors of light and dark blue in their flowers to delphinium and the menu. And so it went lights, music, smiles, girlish chatter. Don't you wish you were a rusher?

## SWL to Honor New Women at Tea

A tea honoring women transfer students and new women members of the faculty will be given by Spartan Women's league on Sunday, October 30, according to Gertrude Brummelhoff, league chairman.

Mary Ida Austin, general chairman of the tea, has announced that tea will be poured from 3 to 5 o'clock in the dining room on the second floor of the Union.

## Meet Mr. Philip Brody and Angus

By SHIRLEY BARLOW  
Have you seen that tall, virile, gray-haired professor about the campus who is always accompanied by a black Scottie? That's Mr. Philip Brody, the new art professor. He can reel off foreign names so fast your pencil is in a whirl trying to keep up with him. His four years at Harvard university have given him an attractive Eastern accent and a list of words that is quite beyond the layman's meager vocabulary. He smokes British Consols cigarettes and is a subscriber to Scribner's. He and Angus, his dog, spent three years abroad. Angus is a good traveler and can talk French, German, and Italian almost as well as Mr. Brody. They are together everywhere. A near-tragic incident happened when Angus capered just a little too near the edge of a mountain, fell, and broke his tail. (The tail wags as perkily as before). The other members of the teaching staff like Angus so much that they take turns taking the pooch out for a walk. Mr. Brody will often return to his office to find Angus gone and a note to tell him that "Sorry, but Angus skipped the country." While Mr. Brody was painting in Paris, a friend suggested that he try to get on the Saar Plebiscite commission for the League of Nations. So he mailed the necessary application and promptly forgot about the matter. He was busily sketching the Seine when he received a telegram requesting his appearance. And, just like an artist, he had to borrow the money in order to go. He was the youngest assistant inspector with the commission. The other commissioners contemplated having a special badge struck for Angus making him District Inspector of Dogs. However, they feared the League of Nations might possibly object, so poor Angus received only a certificate. Mr. Brody states that the people in Saar are definitely German and not French, as was erroneously supposed. He says that they knew they would be worse off by electing to go with Germany, but voted to do so because it would be like returning to their homeland once again. Florence is one of the loveliest cities in the world, so Mr. Brody thinks. He led a quiet life of hard intensive painting and study under Galileo Chini. He studied in Paris for about three months. He says, "The Latin Quarter of Paris is delightful. Not the Latin Quarter that we know, but one which is made up of hard-working students and artists who live as cheaply as students and artists must. It is the foreigners who give Paris its risqué reputation. The English and Americans like to go naughty and wild in Paris—not the Parisians. The Parisians don't care what you do as long as you don't harm your neighbor. Paris is just as staid as any midwestern town."

## ROTC Unit To Select Sponsor

### Nominees Chosen: Cadets Will Vote In Class Periods

Michigan State's R. O. T. C. unit will choose its corporate sponsors next week from a list of 14 senior and four junior candidates. Voting for the sponsors will be held during class periods of junior and senior officers, and the results will be announced on Friday.

The candidates were nominated by a petition signed by ten student officers in the various divisions. Candidates for corporate sponsor include: Mrs. Gertrude D. Brummelhoff, Grand Rapids; Mrs. Ann J. Lettich, Lansing; Mrs. Margrieth E. Gunn, East Lansing; and Mrs. Vada V. Granger, Benton Harbor.

Miss Ruth F. Cleary, North Muskegon; Mrs. Charlotte L. Mason, Muskegon; and Mrs. Margaret L. Rylander, Kalamazoo are nominees for infantry sponsor while Mrs. Doris L. East, East Lansing; Mrs. North, Muskegon; Mrs. George Ann Shaw, Grand Rapids; and Mrs. Mabelle G. Jackson, Flint, will be the candidates for cavalry sponsor.

Miss Jane E. Shaw of Rapid City, and Miss Jeanette D. Popper of Clifton Springs, N. Y., were chosen a nominees for Coast Artillery sponsor.

Those nominated for the position of Field Artillery sponsor include Miss Margaret H. Wetz, Tecumseh; Miss Alice G. Gough, Jackson; Miss Alice Gough, Jackson; Miss Mary E. Mason, Mason; Mrs. Barbara Weston, Saginaw; and Miss Katherine A. Barbe, Mason City, Ia.

## Mitchell, Genne To Join Alpha Phi Omega

Dr. Fred T. Mitchell, dean of men, and Dr. William Genne, YMCA leader, are two of the men who will be inducted into the Beta Beta chapter of Alpha Phi Omega, national service fraternity, Saturday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. in the organization room in the Union.

Dr. Genne, Detroit, Acting Barry, Beaver, Mich., and Paul Huxman, De Plores, Ill., are the others. The organization will conduct a freshman orientation program on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, October 17, 18, and 19. Each of the 500 freshmen men being off the campus will be conducted by a representative of the club, who will attempt to give him help in adjusting himself to college life. Information will be furnished about the various extra-curricular activities on the campus.

## Credit Union Loans Total \$3,136

According to latest reports loans totaling \$3,136 have been made by the Michigan State college employees credit union. On October 11, share capital amounted to \$2,961 of which \$1,583 was out on loan. Cash on hand, available for loaning to members totals \$1,216.

At the last meeting of the union Mr. C. A. Rosenblyck, resigned as treasurer-manager in order to fill his new position as purchasing agent for the college. Walter Beamer was selected as treasurer-manager.

Harold B. Fields, of the history department, a member of the supervising committee of the union, resigned because of his leave of absence. Stuart B. Mead was selected to serve as a member of the committee.

A special feature of the union is the saving plan whereby members make monthly deposits with the union. To date, eighteen members are taking advantage of this.

## Baldwin Tells Ag Men Of Farm Program

R. J. Baldwin, director of extension, has been traveling this week with AAA Representative John Wilson, meeting county agricultural agents and county agricultural conservation committees. They have been explaining details of the 1939 federal farm program.

## State Gridlers Seek Victory Trail In West Virginia Foothills; Team Spirit None Too High for Battle

### College Registrar to Visit South Pacific Islands

By BRUCE MEAD  
Mated, mated, the Hawaiian gridlers of the West Virginia football team and the West Virginia football team will be looking for a place of recognition in the football league today. The Spartans will take the field today in a match-up with the Spartans of the West Virginia football team. The Spartans will take the field today in a match-up with the Spartans of the West Virginia football team. The Spartans will take the field today in a match-up with the Spartans of the West Virginia football team.

## Ram Truck Keeps Local Specialist Far From Home

For a long time now, the local specialist has been far from home. The ram truck keeps the local specialist far from home. The ram truck keeps the local specialist far from home. The ram truck keeps the local specialist far from home.

## Tower Guards Name Howard Party Head

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## Installation Dinner Given at Mayo

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## 'Utility Before Age' Students Say of Abbot Hall Razing

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## Notice

A college bulletin will be found on page 2.

## Campus Calendar

- MSC Hotel Assn Meeting—Wednesday, October 19, Union Bldg.
- Excelsior Night Club Party—Tonight, 9 to 10, Union ballroom.
- Alpha Phi Omega Meeting—Sunday, 2:30 p. m., Organization Room, Union.
- Sophomore Catholic Newman Club Meeting, Monday, 7:15, Room 1, Home Ec Bldg.





# DICK FREY AGAIN WINS ALL-COLLEGE RUN

## Time is Thirteen Seconds Faster Than Gibson's

### Victory Ranks Frey With Otley, Chamberlain, Bechtold, and Brown. Other Varsity Men Demonstrate Improvement in Form

Flashy, his old time form, Richard D. Frey romped to victory in the sixteenth annual all college cross country run late yesterday afternoon. His time of 21:17.3 for the four miles was thirteen seconds faster than that of Fletcher Gibson, whose strong finish almost caught Frey in the stretch.

This marks the third consecutive year that Frey has broken the tape in the fall classic, which has for winners such notable names as Tom Otley, Clark Chamberlain, Ed Bechtold, and Gene Brown. Frey's time was only a few seconds faster than that of Chamberlain, who still has one more chance to break the record before he can match the time of the all-time high set by Chamberlain in 1937. Coach Brown, who has coached Frey for the last two years, said he was not surprised by Frey's performance.

### ROOMS STATE HOPES

The Spartans are expected to win the 1939-40 season. They have a strong team and are looking for a good season. The Spartans are expected to win the 1939-40 season. They have a strong team and are looking for a good season.

George K... has high hopes for the Spartans. He expects them to do well in the coming season.

## Scoop Says:

By George Maskin

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Oct. 15. Six weeks from now when one looks back on the 1939 Michigan State football season he probably will select the West Virginia game as the turning point in the season's tale.

From the State fans' standpoint, today's struggle against the Mountaineers, who are expected to win, is a disappointment. The Spartans are expected to win the 1939-40 season.

## Lost to Pitt

The Mountaineers, as expected, lost to Pittsburgh, putting up a dismal showing. They beat West Virginia Wesleyan and then held a fair Washington and Lee eleven to a 6-6 tie.

Tenoring the capabilities of the opposition, the game today may make or break State. On the result hinges whether the Spartans again complete a successful campaign or finish with a mark comparable to those turned in by the average run of the mind frame.

It will be an indifferent Spartan aggregation which faces West Virginia. The defeat at Michigan and the poor showings made against Wayne and Illinois Wesleyan find the Spartans lacking in confidence.

## Doubts Strength

The Spartans are expected to win the 1939-40 season. They have a strong team and are looking for a good season.

## These Two are Forgotten Men of State Gridders



Abdo and Dudley star guards on the Spartan eleven, take their bumps and bruises as a matter of course, but also reap their share of the glory as their line play does not go unnoticed by the fans.

## Saturday Is Spartan Gridders Out To Bag Big Game

### Dull Day

Spartans Play Away Syracuse Next Weekend

By DON ANDERSON

Michigan State's football players will enjoy a busman's holiday tomorrow when they stop at Detroit to take in the Lions Washington Redskins game. The Spartans leave here tonight at 10 o'clock and are due in Detroit tomorrow at 8:30 a. m. They'll arrive at the Union depot in Lansing shortly after 7 p. m.

## Fraternity League In Second Round

### Lambda Chi and Phi Kappa Lead In Block One

With only a team but one having played a game, the Inter-Fraternity League today moves into the second round of games next week with the "block" of the Lambda Chi and Phi Kappa. The Spartans are expected to win the 1939-40 season.

## Bowling League In Deadlock

By virtue of their four victories Wednesday night, Strothers and Miller's Ice Cream went into a tie for first place in the Merchant's Bowling league, the former defeating Distal Heating, and the latter the State Theater team.

## Wolves' Long Shot

Michigan State's football players will enjoy a busman's holiday tomorrow when they stop at Detroit to take in the Lions Washington Redskins game.

## MARK CALENDAR

The next football game will be seen that every Spartan football fan will want to mark on his calendar. It is unusual for two such first rate games to come in the same schedule.

## Who State's Rivals Will Play Today

SYRACUSE State's next week adversary, is meeting a strong football team. The outcome of the game will show the real strength of the Orange, who it is expected have a powerhouse.

## SANTA CLARA

SANTA CLARA, the team that hasn't lost a game in three years, plays Arizona. This should be a game for the Broncos, who are looking for a come lightning.

## TEMPLE

TEMPLE with only one win in three starts, plays Bucknell. This will be a game decided in the break, but Pop Warner's team should win it.

## MISSOURI

MISSOURI meets Iowa State in a close game, but it should be the Mountaineers.

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