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A little bit INDEPENDENT

By PAUL GIRON

New Political Boss
 of the Independent Men's League is Bob Zant. Ron Jackson, Nelson Kiebler, Ted Paul, Doug Sirock and Norm Foley have been appointed on Zant's committee. The committee plans an independent convention at which independent candidates for the coming primaries will be chosen. The convention is planned for next week, however a definite date has not been set.

The Independent Softball Leaguers
 have been dampened physically but the rain didn't touch their enthusiasm and they are hoping to go to bat tonight. The April showers that bring May flowers didn't bring any home runs for the games scheduled for previous dates were cancelled. **You Can Swing and Sway** with Sammie Kaye or utter with Benny Goodson, but you can come and do whatever you want to do. Art Hawkins and his Dixie members of the Independent's spring dance to be held Friday evening, May 12.

Even the Women get the idea. Yesterday two girls wanted to know where they could get Independent pins. You can get yours at the Union desk or from your counselor and maybe I shouldn't suggest it but, you girls will have to get yours from your boy friends.

How Did You Like the initial issue of the I. M. L. Record? Any helpful suggestions or criticisms will be appreciated. The Record will come out again next Wednesday. Any Independent interested in working on the paper should drop in at the Independent office.

Red Generalissimo Explains Soviet Purge in Story

Why Stalin Shot His Generalissimo, written by refugee General Kopylov, an old comrade's Saturday Evening Post reveals the ultimate secrets of Generalissimo Stalin's political secret strategy.

The writer, who escaped to the United States despite efforts made to force the Russian to stay, says the purge is a necessary step in the development of a new political party and a new form of government.

Stalin, Kopylov says, is a man of iron will and a man of iron hand. He is a man who has no doubts about his own right to rule and no doubts about his own right to purge.

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Biochemist Praises Alkaline Drinks

Dr. J. B. Hill, biochemist at the University of Michigan, says that alkaline drinks are good for the body. He says that alkaline drinks are good for the body and that they are good for the body.

Mortar Board Means Quality

Each year Mortar Board looks for the embodiment of its ideal in the women of the junior class, always hoping that they can carry out their duties as well as the Mortar Board of their own class.

With this idea in mind, they have drawn up certain qualifications.

A Mortar Board should exemplify what the college thinks a woman should be. She should be one of whom students and faculty alike can say, "That girl is just what we need."

Activities are important, but not as important as the quality of work. Her work should have been done not for a selfish part of view, but for show. She should not expect other people to do her work for her. It isn't the effort she puts in, but her generous and intelligent interest in other people's sincerity and initiative in the work which is to be done.

She should be an influence in her own group and have dignity in meeting people of all standings. She should be such that people will say: "You can go to Mortar Board for backing in any campus project which is fine."

Quotable Quotes

—By Associated Collegiate Press.
 "An appreciation, acknowledgment and encouragement on the part of men everywhere of the irresistible, irrefragable urge to know is needed in these days of 1939. It is collectivism and dictatorship which kill the urge to know, it would be an unspeakable calamity. There would be no superiority, no advancement, only mediocrity." Union college's Dr. Edward Elbery believes that colleges and universities should foster and encourage more than ever thought and knowledge.

CAMPUS CARTOONS



Smoked Glasses

OF ELMER WHITE

Pick Your Women by their characteristics. Here some words and some characteristics that are not necessarily the most outstanding but nevertheless some characteristics that are worth noting.

1. **Grace**—She is a woman who is graceful in her movements and in her speech. She is a woman who is graceful in her movements and in her speech.

College Bulletin

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SIGMA KAPPA
 New officers are Frances Bates, president; Christine Horn, vice-president; Ruth Jubb, recording secretary; Elnora Creel, house president and corresponding secretary; and Evelyn Manley, treasurer.

ALPHA GAMMA RHO
 New officers are: President, Curtice Weaver; vice-president, William Knox; secretary, Leonard Kyle; treasurer, Robert Button; house manager, John Beale; and social chairman, James Bailey.

PHI KAPPA TAU
 The Phi Taus had an exchange dinner with the Chi Om Tuesday night. North Williams' popular housemother, Mrs. Thompson, also was a guest. New pledges are Bob Dwydale and Max Bonhart. Carl Walters got his pin back from a home town farm.

KAPPA DELTA
 Mary Elizabeth Ruffe, Doris Jean Warner and Mary Wingate took second degree recently. Plans are being made for a Mother's day banquet.

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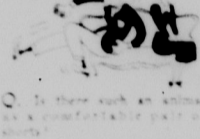
Q: White handkerchiefs should always be worn with white shirts. YES - NO



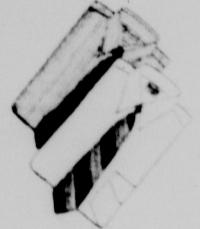
Q: How close to ground should trousers hang? A: Puffed trousers should hang just low enough to touch your instep at the bottom.



Q: Shirt sleeves should be one inch of your wrist and one-half inch of your cuff. YES - NO



Q: Is there such an animal as a comfortable pair of slippers? YES - NO



Q: Arrow ties should be worn with white shirts. YES - NO



Q: There is a difference between a suit and a tuxedo. YES - NO

Scoop Says: Three Relay Teams Will Compete In Kansas Meet

It becomes rather amusing sitting in the stands at a ball game and listening to your next door neighbor's belittling remarks at his lady friend's expense.

Possibly the gentlemen on occasions have a right to fly off the handle in the wake of the absurd questions or statements emanating from the feminine fan.

Educate Fans

Baseball probably wouldn't be interesting if confined to an artificial pastime were it not for the fact that it is a game.

Explains Why

It is true, as Mr. Van Cleave has pointed out, that the reason why we have a baseball game is because of the fact that it is a game.

He's Smarter

After Francis Taylor, Mr. Van Cleave pointed out that the reason why we have a baseball game is because of the fact that it is a game.

Greer and Anchor 440-Yard Team With 880 and Four Mile Teams Also Entered: State Out to Better Previous Showing

Head Track Coach Ralph H. Young announced yesterday the Greer and Anchor 440-yard team will compete for Michigan State at the Kansas Relays at Lawrence, Saturday.

Spartan Netmen Open Season Tomorrow

Favorite to win, Michigan State's tennis team opens its home campaign tomorrow afternoon meeting University of Cincinnati at 3:30 p. m. on the varsity courts.

Golfers to Meet Wolverines

With Bud Tansey and Ray Nelson back to lead the team, Michigan State's golfers will complete practice sessions tomorrow for their season's opener against University of Michigan at Ann Arbor Saturday.

Four Miles Strong

The Michigan State 4-mile relay team was one of the favorites to win at the Kansas Relays and will be looking for a good showing at Lawrence Saturday.

Frosh Cop Lead From Sophs

Competitive frosh keeper at the relays, Michigan State's 4-mile relay team was one of the favorites to win at the Kansas Relays and will be looking for a good showing at Lawrence Saturday.

Dorm Players Get Choice

Men students residing in Mason and Wells halls can play on only one intramural softball team this Spring.

Nine Stages Six-Inning Game

Chased to the shelter of Demont-station hall for their practice session again yesterday, the Spartan diamonders kept a worried eye on Old College field, where flooding waters of the Red Cedar threaten to wash them right out of a playing field.

Reserves Win

Covered by a somewhat luller sky Tuesday, the Spartans ventured outside for the first time since returning from Dixie.

Still Problem

The outfield remains Kib's most pressing problem, although De-

Three Man Polo Seen Gaining in Favor

Three man polo is fast replacing the old game in all sections of the country. At least that is the opinion of Valmer Bayley, one of the top ranking players in the country.

Beat Brookwood

With their No. 2 man polo team in action due to injuries, the Hills drafted Bayley as a substitute and eked out a thin victory over Brookwood.

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ENJOY THE POST TONIGHT WHERE DOES HITLER GO FROM HERE? After months of studying the original Mein Kampf...

2 DIZZY DEBS PANIC A BRITISH FOX-HUNT It was a nice trap Mrs. Chesterly...

P.G. Wodehouse INVITES YOU to an hilarious six-week party at Blandings Castle to meet (among others) Frederick Altamount Cornwallis Twistleton Fifth Earl of Ickenham

WHY STALIN SHOT HIS GENERALS. Why were the leaders of the Red Army executed? And just when Hitler was supposed to be preparing for war?

I'D GET MARRIED—EXCEPT FOR MOTHER. Henry said: But can young people in love wait forever? Read this short story by Curtin Reed...

THE SATURDAY EVENING POST

TUG SLACKS COVERTS - TWEEDS - GABERDINE \$5 - \$5.95 - \$6.95 - \$7.50 - \$8.50 HURD'S LANSING AND EAST LANSING

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