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Spartan Cagers Hand Michigan 49 to 36 Trouncing

Record Enrollment Figures Show 6,892 Students

Veterans Swell Total
To 3,043 Men; Coeds
Reach 3,340 Mark

Preliminary registration figures show an enrollment of 6,892 students which, with final figures, will undoubtedly top all past attendance records at MSC, according to R. S. Linton, registrar.

Total enrollment has not as yet been determined as registration will not close until Saturday. Figures are based on a report as of last Saturday noon.

Returning vets have swelled the number of men students on campus to 3,043 and late registrants will add several hundred more for the final total, Linton said. Of the 3,043 men students, 2,056 are veterans included in the regular enrollment.

Women students number 3,340 which totals the regular enrollment at 6,383 with 207 army trainees, stationed in Wells hall, and 302 short course students living in the short course barracks completing the whole total.

MSC reached its peak enrollment fall term of 1940 with a total enrollment of 6,966, of which 190 were short course students.

Winter term figures show a large jump over the enrollment of fall term which was totalled at 231 plus 320 army trainees and 35 short course students.

Complete Directories Ready For Students

Permanent student directories are now available at the Union desk, Ad building, and College bookstore. The directories include names of students and faculty who were on campus last term, with corrections on the preliminary issue.

All returned veterans have as-kraks before their names.

Today's Campus

How Can They Tell?

With regard to current rumors and predictions on the swelling of MSC, the following are the facts: (1) Not ten, five nor even a million students are expected by next fall—the figure is a paltry eight thousand; (2) The Union is not being groomed to replace Grand Central station; (3) MSC will not be incorporated as a suburb of Chicago. Predictions are now in vogue as to whether the Union will be chosen as UNO headquarters.

Night School

Walter Miller, first term freshman from Mt. Clemens, went galloping through his first experience at night school, which even to the hardened was a trial. He didn't mind it when he got a couple of night classes. In fact, though it was quite a lark when he got home and found out he was scheduled for three night classes, all on Wednesday

Housing Situation Becomes Critical As Enrollment Rises

Dorm Rooms Are Shared By Three Students

Hannah Calls Convocation For 10 Today

All students, men and women, are requested to attend the first all-college convocation of winter term, which Pres. John A. Hannah has called for 10 a.m. today in College auditorium.

The purpose of the convocation will be to inform the students of some of the problems created by the increased enrollment and the steps that are being taken to meet them. Future conditions and situations will also receive emphasis in the talks scheduled for the meeting.

Speakers for the convocation, other than President Hannah, will be S. E. Crowe, dean of students; Dr. C. F. Holland, director of the health center, and Col. E. G. Egger, of the military department.

All classes will be excused at 10 a.m. so that students can attend the convocation. Classes will resume their meetings at 11 a.m., Hannah said.

Tryouts for Play To Begin Tonight

Tryouts for the winter term play, Lillian Hellman's "The Little Foxes," will be held tonight, tomorrow and Thursday night at 7:30 in room 1 of the Home Ec building, according to Paul E. Geisenhof, director of the play.

Men are particularly requested to come to the tryouts as the play has six male roles and only four women's. Two of these parts are colored family retainers, a man and a woman, and Mr. Geisenhof hopes colored students will audition for these parts.

The drama, a costume play of the nineteen hundreds, takes place in the South during the economic change of the region from agriculture to industrial manufacturing.

State's Chapter of Delta Gamma Receives Charter At Initiation

Twenty-one coeds were formally initiated and installed Saturday into the Beta Xi chapter of the Delta Gamma sorority.

Following the initiation ceremony the women were feted at a banquet. At this time the national Delta Gamma officers presented Barbara Mye, North Tonawanda, N. Y., senior and president of Beta Xi with the charter of the chapter.

On Sunday a reception was held at Peoples church to introduce the new sorority and its members to the campus.

Charter members of the group are Miss Mye, Christine Bickling, Farmington junior; Patricia Bolander, Lapeer junior; Mary Lou Dowd, Battle-Creek sophomore; Phyllis Franz, Detroit sophomore; Cynthia Gorham, Detroit freshman; Suzanne Hamilton, Sturgis sophomore; Nina

High-Pointer

When college authorities decided to release Abbot hall for returning men students just at the end of fall term, many and rapid were the changes in the housing picture at MSC.

Abbot's 437 women, notified that they would be moved to other dormitories, returned early Jan. 1 to remove their belongings before the men took over. All but six women completed the move in one day.

While women are now living three-in-a-room in most of the rooms of Mason, Campbell, Mayo and Williams dormitories, the men of Abbot are doing likewise and the hall now houses 660 men. Figures given by women's housing

All students interested in working on the State News staff this term are requested to meet in the News office today at 5 p.m., according to Marion Heckel, editor.

ing director Elizabeth Corbishly show 587 women now living in Mason hall.

Other Halls Filled

Figures for the other dormitories are: Williams and Cowles, 418; Mayo and Kappa Sigma annex, 352; Campbell hall, 439, and North Hall, 86.

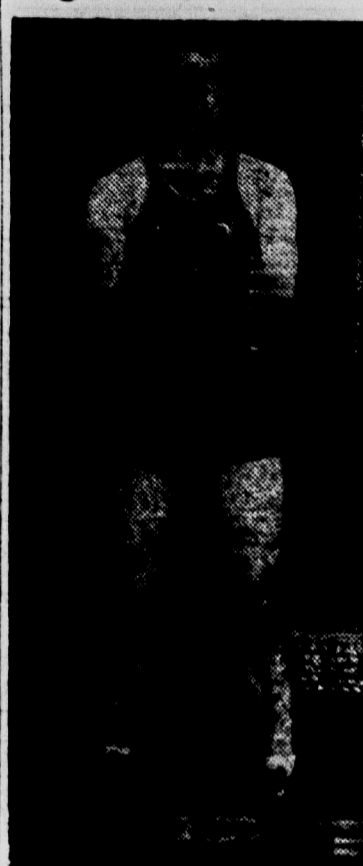
Many new places on campus have suddenly become living quarters for the unexpected increase of men students this term. Both men and women are now being housed in the Union building, the women on the fourth floor and the men on the third floor. With this change rooms are no longer available for overnight guests, dinner parties, or organized meetings.

Men In Jenison

According to S. E. Crowe, dean of students, Jenison gym has become the living quarters for approximately 200 men, a large number of whom will be moved to Wells hall on Feb. 4. At present only wards B and C of Wells are housing civilian men. Crowe stated that so far all veterans have been given some place to live and that more could be accommodated.

Prof. Tom King, director of the servicemen's institute, revealed that 200 trailers will be ready for occupancy Feb. 1.

High-Pointer



Big run in the MSC scoring column last night in the win over U. of M. was Matt Mazza, who gathered 14 points to top both teams in tally-making.

Faculty Member To Open Musical Program Series

Appearing as the first artist in a series of musical programs to be presented during January is Howard Silberer, pianist and instructor in the music department.

The concert will be given tonight at 8 in the Music auditorium, as announced by the music department.

New on campus fall term, Silberer was formerly a piano teacher in Chicago, Ill., before entering the armed forces.

Silberer's first numbers will be Each's "Christmas Pastoral" and "Chromatic Fantasy and Fugue." The four movements of Schubert's "Sonata in B flat major" will comprise the second portion of the program.

The concluding section will be opened with Ravel's "Ondine," and Samar's "Picce Fantastique." "I Naviganti" by Castelnuovo-Tedesco and "Sonata No. 5" by Scriabine complete the concert.

Several of the programs are concerts by State students. Concerts given by staff members are open to all students. Season tickets are needed for concerts by guest artists.

Other artists to perform include John Richardson, pianist; Paul Nordoff in a program of 20th century piano music, and tenor Julian Miller, all of the music department, and the Budapest String Quartet.

Police Hold 18 Bikes

Eighteen bicycles have been picked up on campus within the last 30 days, according to Lt. Howard Simcox of the campus police. All of the bicycles were found on campus and the owners may get them by claiming and identifying them at the campus police headquarters.

8,500 Spectators See State Spurt After Early Battle

By TOM RIORDAN

Michigan State's fast-break offensive and scoring power was too much for the University of Michigan cagers last night as the Spartans rolled to a 49 to 36 win on the Jenison fieldhouse court before a capacity crowd of 8,500 spectators.

State led by a single point at the end of the first half after 20 minutes of see-saw basketball in which the lead changed half a dozen times. It wasn't until nearly 10 minutes of the second stanza had been played that the Spartans were holding a fairly sure margin of six points, 35 to 29.

Spartan Iron Men

Coach Ben Van Alstyne's starting quintet of Sam Fortino, Robin Roberts, Matt Mazza, Ollie White and Don Waldron played almost the entire contest as Michigan kept a steady stream of replacements coming onto the floor trying to wear down the Spartans, but the Vanmen just kept tearing along.

The husky Mazza turned in a great game at the pivot spot, popping in 14 points to take the evening's honors. On defense too, he was plenty hot, bottling up the Wolverines constantly and intercepting passes.

Sam Steals Passes

Fortino had four baskets and four free throws to rank next to Mazza with 12 tallies, but it was the Alma forward's work at grabbing "M" passes and converting the thefts into State scoring plays that the crowd roared their approval over and which was one of the big reasons the

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Flames Damage Sorority House

State's chapter of Alpha Omicron Pi suffered a \$10,000 loss when its chapter house burned Dec. 15. However, the house was covered by insurance. The fire occurred between 10:30 p.m. and midnight.

All residents of the house had left for the Christmas holidays before the fire occurred. All belongings were either destroyed or damaged.

It is believed that the fire was caused by a defect in the control switch of the stoker furnace.

Reconstruction of the chapter house was begun immediately the next day and it is hoped that the house will again be ready for occupancy in six weeks. In the meantime, the sorority women are living with the alumnae in Lansing and East Lansing.

The chapter house had just been remodeled fall term with the expense amounting to \$5,000.

Other sororities on campus have extended help wherever possible. Sigma Kappa sorority offered their chapter house for the A O Pi introductory tea held last night.

TIME TABLE

TODAY—
Orchestrals, 5 p.m.
Women's gym
PanHellenic, 5 p.m.
Sun porch, Union
AWS, 7 p.m.
115 Union annex
Kappa Delta Pi, 7:30 p.m.
111 Union annex

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Better Times Are On The Way

A problem exists at State, an insolvable, necessary problem. And like all problems of its kind, the housing situation must be endured until an adequate answer is found to alleviate the pressure on existing living quarters.

These crowded conditions are nothing new to MSC coeds who tripled up in dorm rooms during 1943-44 to make room for the army air corps men who were stationed on campus at that time. This move was regarded by the women as only a slight inconvenience and for the most part it was considered in the light of a patriotic gesture.

Recent developments have necessitated a similar move, and many women have not responded with as good grace as characterized their acceptance of the former emergency. Many of the men also feel that they have received the short end of the housing deal. Crowded as they are in all available dorms, rooms, and make-shift sleeping quarters they have their justifiable gripes. Chief among the difficulties that will be met by the men, especially those who have been quartered in Jenison fieldhouse, will be the scarcity of room suitable for studying purposes.

This handicap can be conquered by more extensive use of the library. In the event that the facilities of the library should become overtaxed, additional room might be procured in other campus libraries or classrooms that are not being used for evening classes.

Agreed that all in all it is an unfavorable condition that now exists at State, it isn't fatal. Any man or woman now enrolled at MSC who is college material and wants a college education bad enough will see it through to bigger and better times.

-The Women's World-

WOMEN'S DEBATE

Prof. B. J. Knittel of the speech department has announced a meeting of the women's varsity debate team tonight at 7 in room 107, Union annex.

ORCHESIS

All members and tryouts of Orchesis will meet this afternoon at 5 in the dance studio of the Women's gym according to Marilyn Burley, East Lansing senior.

PANHELLENIC COUNCIL

An important meeting of Pan-Hellenic council has been called for today by Mary Slack, president. The group will gather on

the Sun porch of the Union at 5 p.m.

AWS MEETING

All AWS representatives are to meet in Union annex, room 115 tonight at 7, according to Sue Averill, Birmingham senior.

FIRST TERM FRESHMEN

All first term freshmen women desiring Big Sisters are to sign up in the AWS office in the Union annex. Big Sister council has announced. They went on to say that any woman who enrolled fall term and still has not been assigned a Big Sister should sign up in the office also.

Office to Assist Returning Vets

An Office of Veterans Affairs, under the direction of Tom King, has been established in Demonstration hall to do the job of launching ex-servicemen as students at Michigan State.

The Servicemen's Institute, formerly dealing with all the problems peculiar to veteran students, now confines itself to administering refresher courses on a high school level for students who are in need of such work. Instituted Dec. 20 last year, this new campus agency is subdivided to care for particular needs of the veteran student from his initial contact with the college to registration, schedule-making, and getting his textbooks.

Divisions of the Office of Veterans Affairs include counselling, housing, eligibility, registration, evaluation of credits, testing, cashier, accounting, and bookstore.

Affairs of State

By TONI EBNER and SALLY CLARK

If you happened to notice any unusual thunder 'round the Union the first day back, think nothing of it. The State News is once more going to print and typewriters are clanking away in rapid fashion. Here's hopin' for a big new year with emphasis on winter term. Things seemed to start out right all over the place with news ready and waiting for us.

First on our list sporting those Christmas diamonds comes from over M.A.C. avenue way. Esther Gardner, Alpha Chi, received a sparkler from Doug Hird, SAE from Farmington. Both are seniors.

Christmas really took the Thetas by storm. Two new diamonds are being flashed by Jeanie Berestord and Barb Gilroy. Jeanie's donor was John Crim, U.S.N.R. from Birmingham. He is now stationed at Marquette U. Barb received her little decoration from Ron Williams who graduated last June.

Alpha Phi's are "best wishing" their sorority sister Margot Jacques, who received a ring this vacation from Kappa Sig Tom Barber from Chicago.

Something different in the line of engagement rings may be seen on the third finger left hand of Anne Chestnut, Pi Phi from Detroit. Her newly acquired fiancée is Allen Wheat who is to be graduated from West Point this year. Anne's ring is a miniature of Allen's class ring.

In competition for honors at the Alpha Gam house are Jane Malicki and Jean Morrill. Graduating from the engaged status, Jean was married this vacation to Seymour Thomson. To be exact, the date was Dec. 15. Without an exact date in the future, but with plenty on her mind now, Jane received her ring from Barney McCosky of Detroit Tiger fame.

At the other end of town Susan Petertyl is having quite a time getting started this term. The reason could be the beautiful sparkler she is sporting. The donor is John Titus, SAE from Traverse City.

The clatter of excitement over engagements is still keeping step with the new year. Nedra Macduff, Pontiac senior, received a ring from Bob Choiniere, Detroit freshman. The two other engagements on the list concern Kappa Delta Zoe Mason, Saginaw senior, to Jim Mulvenin, Phi Delt now with the army overseas, and AOPi Margaret Miles, Lansing senior, to Sgt. Vernon Carvey of Plymouth.

Last on a long line of engagements taking place over the holiday season is that of Phyllis Hamborsky, Delta Zeta, and Johnny Evans. Both are from Detroit and Phyl is a senior this year.

Grin and Bear It . . . By Lichty



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WOLVERINE

Your Michigan State College Yearbook

CLASSIFIED ADS

HELP WANTED

THREE bus boys to work for meals in fraternity house. Call Delta Chi house, 8-4439. 62

FOR SALE

CHARTRUOSE raincoat and Carley wool jersey dress, size 16. Formal, size 12, black velvet bodice, taffeta plaid skirt (never worn). Squirrel trim green winter coat, size 14. 83617 63

EVENING CAPE, red wool and black velvet hooded reversible, perfect condition, size 12-14, \$16. Mrs. R. H. Collins, 1216 1/2 W. Ottawa street. Call 5-6770 after 5 p.m. 63

ENGINEERS! Here's your chance to get an imported set of mechanical drawing tools, recently liberated from Germany. Also a Polyphase Duplex Decoding slide rule. All in excellent condition. Phone Bucky Walsh at the Sigma Nu house, 8-3557. 61

WANTED

MAN pianist to play for tap dancing class at Jenison gym 3-4 p.m. Monday through Friday. Phone 610 for details. 62

PIANO ACCOMPANIST for dance classes in women's Phys. Ed. department. See Mrs. McKeane in Women's gym. 62

WANTED

WANTED TO RENT OR SELL TAP SHOES for use in the Phys. Ed. department. Bring to Mrs. Waters in the Women's gym. 63

FOUND

BEFORE Christmas in Jenison gym a 1939 class ring with initials P. L. Owner may have same by identifying it at Union desk. 62

PERSONAL

WILL STUDENT please return to Joyce Bush at State News office brown Schaeffer pencil loaned Thursday during registration. 62

LOST

REWARD for desperately needed glasses lost exam week. Leave at Union desk. 61

RED WALLET in car going into Lansing. Call Marian Douglass, ext. 85. Reward. 61

FOR RENT

GARAGE with cement floor, \$3 per month. 429 Charles, phone 8-2656. 61

Fortino Scoring Spree Tops Vacation Basketball Action

Feature of the Spartans' Christmas vacation time basketball action in which they evened up the percentages was the torrid exhibition that Sam Fortino put on in setting a new individual record as State whizzed by Syracuse, 76 to 48.

Voted last season by coaches and officials as the state's most outstanding player, Fortino has none of his finesse in ball handling and shooting. Although he poured through 26 points to top Dud Jones' old record of 25, which was established against Michigan in 1942, the flashy Fortino still managed to set up plenty of scoring plays and turned in an excellent defensive game.

Besides knocking off the orange the Spartans pulled a surprise 50 to 48 overtime upset against powerful Minnesota on Christmas eve and thumped a fully manned Cincinnati five, 69 to 38, last Saturday evening. The only loss came at the hands of Ohio State Buckeyes, one of the Big Ten's best, 62 to 42, at Columbus.

Against the Gophers it was again Roberts, running mate of Fortino at forward, and Matt Mazza who took the scoring honors. Mazza was high with 17 and Roberts came through with a pair

of two-pointers in the overtime to sew up the ball game and bring his total to 12. The stocky Roberts picked up 18 in the Syracuse contest while in the Buckeye tilt Mazza was high with nine.

Everyone Hot in Cincinnati

In knocking off Cincinnati everyone figured in the scoring column with Mazza punching in 13, Roberts and Guard Don Waldron 11 each, and Fortino 10. Shorty Krall, understudy for Mazza, hit the hoop for nine to pace the replacements who played nearly half the contest.

The scoring punch isn't entirely in the forward line with Ollie White and Waldron, the starting guards, hitting very consistently



White Roberts on one-handers. Pat Peppler, who has been alternating with White, has also looked good on one-handers.

The fast-break offense Coach Ben Van Alstyne has his men employ seems built to order for the material on hand, which is plenty and good. Especially skilled at working the ball around under the hoop is the front-line trio of Fortino, Mazza and Roberts and they get plenty of help from White, Waldron and Peppler.

Next Saturday the Spartans will take on always-potent Kentucky on the Jenison court. Last winter State pulled one of the cage season's biggest upsets when it bumped off the Colonels who had been rated as one of the nation's best quintets.

BASKETBALL

(Continued from Page 1)

Spartans were able to win by 13 points.

Guards White and Waldron also broke up many Michigan threats and it was Ollie who came through with five much-needed baskets in the second half on snazzy one-handed tosses to keep State in the driver's seat. White also pegged in a charity throw to bring his evening's total to 11.

Standout and high point man for the Wolverines was Bob Harrison, who netted 11 tallies and seemed to hit the hoop just when his club needed a two-pointer the most.

STATE	B	F	T	MICHIGAN	B	F	T
Fortino, f	4	4	12	Harr, f	4	3	11
Roberts, f	3	2	8	Strack, f	1	0	2
Mazza, c	6	2	14	Selbo, c	4	2	10
White, g	5	1	11	Muller, g	2	3	7
Waldron, g	1	2	4	Elliott, g	0	1	1
Jones, f	0	0	0	Baker, f	0	2	3
Gran'k, f	0	0	0	Feinberg, c	0	0	0
				Dietrich, f	0	2	2
				Kell, g	0	0	0

19 11 49 11 13 36
 Personal fouls: State: Fortino 2, Roberts 3, Mazza 2, White 1, Waldron 4 and Jones 2. U. of M.: Harrison 2, Strack 2, Mullane 4, Elliott 1, Baker 2, Feinberg 3 and Kell 1.
 Score at half-time—MSC 19, U. of M. 18.
 Officials: Ike Craig and Rudel C. Miller.

State Quintet Loses Services of Cawood

Jack Cawood, who had been a member of State's basketball squad up until the Cincinnati game, has enrolled in Western Michigan college.

While a naval air cadet Cawood trained at Western Michigan and was star of the Kalamazoo quintet during the 1943-44 season. Previous to that he was at State, leading the 1942-43 team in scoring with 119 tallies.

MSC Swimmers Take Six Firsts In Initial Meet

Opening their first home meet against the University of Illinois, Saturday, the Spartan swimming team will attempt to add a second mark in the victory column.

The tankers, in trouncing Northwestern last Saturday, 51 to 33, broke two varsity swimming records and rang up six first places. This was the first time a Spartan tank squad ever beat the Wildcats.

Howard Patterson, Saginaw freshman, in the 150 yard backstroke, set a new record in the time of 1:40.4, while the 300 yard medley relay, composed of Patterson, Paul Seibold, Jackson freshman, and Bob Allwardt, Battle Creek freshman, went the distance in 3:05 for a new record.

Other first places were won by John DeMond, Jackson freshman, in the 220 yard freestyle; Don Dunbar, Monroe freshman, in diving; Abel Gilbert, Equadorian freshman, in the 100 yard freestyle, and the 440 yard freestyle relay composed of Captain James Thomas, Saginaw junior, Patterson, DeMond, and Jim Quigley, Saginaw freshman.

A retentive memory is a good thing, but the ability to forget is the true token of greatness. — Hubbard.

Intramural Sports Held Up By Lack of Gym Floor Space

Winter intramural sports for the men of State hinges on one thing, whether or not the college can provide rooms for the men now quartered in the Jenison gymnasium, and do so within about three weeks. What with the floor being completely taken over there is little hope for any type of competitive sport this term.

Assuming that the men will be moved out, an extensive program consisting of three basketball leagues, dormitory, independent, and fraternity, could be put into full swing, along with boxing, swimming, and wrestling.

Assistant director of athletics

Lyman F. Frimodig states that the entire set up will have to mark time until the gym floor is available.

Interfraternity bowling, unaffected by lack of space, will get back into action tonight on the Spartan alleys with Delta Chi taking on FarmHouse, SAE facing Delta Sig and Theta Chi crossing lanes with the ATO quintet.

To date Delta Sig and Theta Chi are tied for first place with 19 wins and five losses apiece, while Sigma Chi holds third on its record of 18 victories and 10 defeats.

Sports Writers

There will be a meeting of the sports staff and new students interested in joining it at 4:30 p.m. tomorrow in the State News office, Union annex.

Wheaton To Meet Spartan Matmen Here Saturday

Michigan State's wrestling team will open its 1946 schedule against Wheaton college in Jenison here Saturday afternoon at 3. Coach Fendley Collins announced yesterday.

Following the Wheaton meet the Spartans will tangle with Ohio State at Champaign on January 19, Purdue at East Lansing, February 25, and Northwestern at Minneapolis in a quadrangle air at Evanston on February 26. Purdue will also figure in this cage setup.

Back in East Lansing on February 16 the matmen will take Ohio State and then journey Ann Arbor to wrestle Michigan on the 23rd, finishing the season against Iowa State Teachers college on March 1.

Jack Breslin Stars East-West Game

Jack Breslin, Michigan State's representative in the annual East-West game at San Francisco, scored Friday night after putting in 45 minutes of action in contest.

Breslin set up the East's touch-down by putting a smashing kick on the safety man of the West squad, enabling the East to lead the score at 7-7.

Breslin has had several offers from professional teams of the National and All-American leagues but has not accepted any.

Outing Team To Meet

Candidates for the varsity boxing team will meet in the Jenison gymnasium boxing room this afternoon at 4:30.

VETERANS

Any veterans who are interested in dance band work should contact Dick Snook who is enlarging his college dance band.

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NO NAGS

HORSE LAUGHS

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 by H. Allen Smith

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Ag Board Accepts Gifts; Names New Buildings.

Governing Group Grants Leaves of Absence, Approves Appointments, Reinstatements

The governing body of Michigan State college, the State Board of Agriculture, accepted gifts totalling \$41,125 at its monthly meeting Thursday, Dec. 20, Secretary Karl H. McDonel announced. Included in the grants was land extending for approximately 200 acres.

Other State Board action consisted of the naming of the dormitories and apartment units under construction on the campus, establishment of three fellowships, approval of appointments, reinstatements, and granting of leaves of absence.

The women's dormitory on Faculty Row will be named in honor of Mrs. Linda E. Landon, who for more than 40 years was the college librarian.

Snyder Hall

One of the new men's dormitories now being constructed south of Mason-Abbot hall will be known as the Jonathan L. Snyder hall, honoring the president of Michigan State college from 1895 to 1915. The other men's dormitory will be named after T. Glenn Phillips, a graduate of the college who was the consulting landscape architect for the last 20 years.

The six units of the apartment building for married students will be named in honor of former Michigan State college students who lost their lives in World War II.

The State Board approved the change in name of the department of publications to the department of public relations. Lloyd H. Geil, head of the publications department, becomes director of public relations.

New Appointments

Heading the list of appointments is that of Harold W. Lautner, who will become professor and head of the department of landscape architecture, upon the retirement of Prof. Charles P. Halligan.

William A. Mann, recently discharged from the naval reserve with the rank of lieutenant, was appointed to the Board of Examiners with the rank of assistant professor.

Also appointed to the Board of Examiners are: Walter Hill with the rank of assistant professor, and Laurence Cooks with the rank of instructor.

Basic College Professor

John Waite, recently discharged from the army, has been appointed assistant professor of literature and fine arts in Basic college.

Howard C. Zindel, who has been on military leave from the college, was appointed extension specialist in poultry husbandry

News in Brief

MANILA, Jan. 1 (AP) — A mass meeting of more than 12,000 American enlisted soldiers tonight noisily adopted a resolution demanding a congressional investigation of the new demobilization slowdown. The soldiers booed the reading of a written explanation from their commanding general.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Jan. 7 (AP) — The late President Roosevelt's neighbors ran into a note of discord today in their efforts to make Hyde Park's rolling acres the permanent home of the United Nations organization.

With UNO's site committee already in the United States for inspection tours, state Senator Frederic Bontecou said he had talked to "a great number" of Dutchess county citizens and "all of them are opposed to having it (UNO) in the county."

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP) — New York city — the communications' capital of the world — tonight was on the verge of a telegraphic blackout, as 7,000 Western Union employees in New York and New Jersey prepared to leave their jobs in a wage dispute.

with the rank of assistant professor.

Formerly teaching at the University of North Dakota and engaged in research work during the war, Donald Renwick will become assistant professor of mechanical engineering.

In Foods and Nutrition

Dr. Edna Brown, presently engaged with the U. S. department of agriculture, will replace Margaret Randolph as assistant professor of foods and nutrition.

A former member of the college mathematics staff and formerly major engineer at the Boeing Aircraft company, Edward

Students with experience in selling advertising are invited to a business meeting tomorrow at 5 p.m. in the Wolverine office, according to Hank Reniger, advertising manager.

Nordhaus has been appointed assistant professor of mathematics.

Ralph B. Bowersox, once associated with the Underwater Sound laboratories, Harvard university, has been appointed associate professor of physics and astronomy.

Recently discharged from the army with the rank of major, George L. Weaver has been appointed extension specialist in animal pathology with the rank of assistant professor.

Reinstatements

Reinstatements include the following: James H. Husted as assistant professor of forestry, John Yunch as instructor in English, E. B. Brauner as associate professor of art, James W. Miller as instructor in history and political science, Franklin Sherman as research associate in entomology.

News Carriers Wanted

Paying positions as carriers are open on the State News. Leave name and address at State News office, according to Jane Walker, circulation manager.

Students wishing their paper delivered to an address which is not in East Lansing should pay an extra mailing charge of \$.25.

Alfred H. Leigh as associate professor of chemical engineering, and Wade O. Brinker as assistant professor of surgery and medicine. All were on military leaves. Donald Hayworth is returning as professor of speech. He has been on leave to work with the U. S. office of civilian defense.

The State Board also approved the acquisition of 52 Quonset huts of the type used by the armed services for the veterans. Designed to accommodate 12 men each, the structures will be placed on the drill field opposite the State Police headquarters on South Harrison road.

"Here lies the body of Sanford Jones, His fate I wish you would heed. He tried to be first in the cafeteria line; As you see, he did not succeed."

Thirty-one Earn All 'A' Average In Fall Quarter

Thirty-one students earned three point averages fall term, R. S. Linton, registrar, announced.

The list includes seventeen seniors, four juniors, seven sophomores and two freshmen. They are: Eleanor Julia DeGraff, Detroit; Patricia Louise Elliott, Lansing; Mrs. Verda Elliott, Dearborn; Esther Erickson, Manhattan, Kansas; Elizabeth Ann Farley, Almont, and Doris Katherine Grigsby, Dearborn.

Also included are Grant Milford Haist, Lansing; Eleanor Grafft Hall, Montour Falls, N. Y.; Shirley E. Hamelink, Lansing; Richard L. Hollingsworth, Lansing; Barbara Joanne James, Ferndale; Margaret Jean Kennedy, Bay City, and Ruth Kelly Koffel, Kalamazoo.

Others are Cecilia Leona LaMotte, Lowell, Ind.; Howard C. Launstein, New Lathrop; Clarence Arthur Leslie, Chateaugay, Que.; Margery Alison MacFadden, Jackson; Anne Rives McCormick, Dearborn; Harold Clinton McDoughle, Columbia, Missouri; Charles Richard Mann, Detroit; Mary Margaret Marshall, East Lansing; Betty Louise Pryer, Portland; Eleanor Gladys Rost, Lansing; Lenore Ruth Schroeder, Lansing; Jean Virginia Stakenas, Scottville, and Nancy Lee Trabue, Highland Park.

Concluding the list are: Colleen Vanderslice, East Lansing; Betty G. Vincent, Detroit; Mary May Muriel Whistler, Grand Haven; Nancy Anne Wyngarden, East Lansing, and Anne Marie Young, Jackson.

INFORMATION

KAPPA DELTA PI

According to Eleanor Rost, president, a meeting of Kappa Delta Pi will be held tomorrow at 7:30 p.m. in room 111, Union annex.

WOLVERINE STAFF

Anyone interested in working on the Wolverine business or editorial staff is asked to come to the Wolverine office any day this week after 4 p.m., according to Doris Englehardt, business manager.

PHI SIGMA SIGMAS

Phi Sigma Sigmas will hold their introductory tea at the home of Marilyn Moskovitz at 150 Nylon, formerly Briggs avenue, across the road from the Chi Omega house, tonight, according to Marjorie Silberblatt, president.

STUDIO THEATER

All men who try-out for the winter term play, "The Little Foxes," will also be trying out for Studio Theater. Prof. Don Buell, who has charge of the group, will be present to scout prospective male talent.

Home Economics Group Pledges Senior Women

Omicron Nu, national home economics honorary, has selected four senior women for membership in the organization. These women were pledged Friday afternoon and will become active members at a luncheon and initiation Saturday noon, according to President Barbara Mye, Tonowanda, N. Y., senior.

Those women pledged are: Dorothy Gower, Detroit; Margaret Troup, Jackson; Grace Kline, Grosse Point, and Ruth Baker, Elmhurst, Ill.

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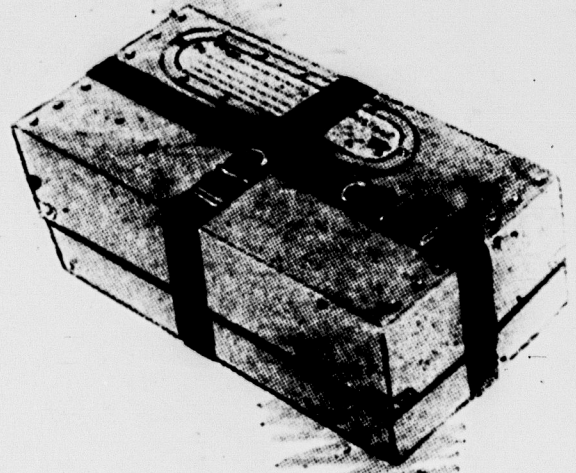
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